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RIOTS IN CHICAGO.

CITY'S STREETS ARE SCENES OF WILD DISORDER.

Mobs Spread Terror and Strike Break ers March Through Hall of Bullets and Missies-Merchants Demand Protection of Law, Including Soldiers.

The most violent disturbances that have been known in Chicago since the American Railway Union strike of 1804 Juve marked



lown Wednesday continuous series manner of brutal ity. The union pick-Changes both ets, strikers sympathizers assalled the hosts of negroes and other non-union men who

have been brought into the service of the employers. And the negroes, armed and desperate, responded in kind.
The net result is the third death directly traceable to the strike, and a list injured that may furnish other fa

talities. The police estimate that if the wounded were all known they would number a hundred Chicago napers print a list of more than sixty. among whom are a l

ister and a Cath Curry, the non simo, himself wit hadly injured. head was cracke bricks throw at him in the dis



reported in a critical condition at the hospital, surgeons almost despairing of his recoy-

noon decided upon an appeal to Govthe troops, and the Mayor prepared a to Sherin Barrett to swear in

Shooting, slugging, an attempt at lynching and nearly every other kind of violence of which mobs are capable or which they may incite turned near ly every downtown Chicago street into



FRANK CURRY.

a battlelield Tuesday, resulting in four men being shot down and nearly forty others being more or less severely in inred. It was the first day of actual terror since the tempsters strike be gau, and it spread so rapidly and with h spontanelty that before noon the police had been overwhelmed in their efforts to prevent the hundreds of independent drivers imported into the the independent workers, frightened out of their wits by mob attacks, from drawing revolvers and magazine pis-

iols and shooting at their tormenters. Harrison street and Wabash avenue. West Jackson bouleyard and Halsted street and Market and Madison streets, In each of these encounters many shots were fired and three or four men were shot so severely that the recov

ery of one is considered impossible. The kingpin of it all, from the emprobably 2,000 additional deputy sher | players' side, was Frank Curry, whose ins to supplement the efforts of the reputation as a strike breaker is na-



FURIOUS FIGHT BETWEEN UNION AND NON-UNION MEN.

The climax of the rioting which forced the employers to act was a murderous attack with revolvers made Express Company guards. It emphasized Wednesday the degree of venou that has developed in Chleago's great teamsters' strike. From hours befor dawn all through the day there was terrific rioting, in which more than a score of men were injured, some them perhaps fatally. In downtown and both south and west, there were furious battles Gov. Dencen refused to send militia

until the demand for them should reach him through the proper legal channels. After a three-hour conference in Springfield Thursday evening with a committee of twelve leading merchants of Chleago, the Governor maintained his position that he could act only in certain contingencies, which had not yet arisen. Those "contingencles" were believed to be a call from Sheriff Barrett for State troops to aid him and his deputies in quelling riot and disorder. Mayor Dunne strenuous ly opposed this plan, saving the nollewere sufficient as well as efficient.

The passing of the twenty-seventh day of the strike developed, saide from the announcement of the Governor's attitude toward the troops question, a strained situation, with the city hat Sheriff Barrett and the Employers' As-

Early in the day, answering the call of business men, the sheriff began to awear in special deputies and place instant hostility in Mayor Dunne's and concerns than the Employers' Teaming

tional. Curry had come boasting what he intended to do, and he found a mg task cut out for him. He seemed to he everywhere at once directing the hundreds of independent men he had brought into the city or found ready to help him when he arrived. Not since the great railroad strike of

1894 have the police had such furious struggles to preserve order-and the

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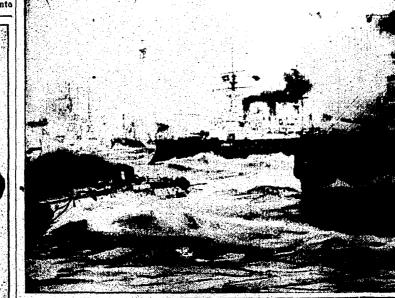
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STRIKE BREAKER. ing or display of more or less shoot-

Mayor Dunne ordered Chief O'Neill o draw 900 special policemen from the civil service commission list. The employers Tuesday assumed a more decidedly hostile front and be-

gan taking aggressive action. Four hundred and fifty strike-break ers were sworn in as special policemen to guard the wagons of the Em-Teaming Company. These Diovers' men, with all the power conferred by law on special policemen, and heavily armed, accompany other strike breakers and use force to protect them as well as to protect the wagons of other



WAR DURING THE WEEK

No Important Developments in the

The week's developments in the The week's developments in the manyal game in the China Sea make it many were wounded in a conflict at War-clear that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky saw, Russian Poland, between troops and will not undertake to give buttle to workmen at Zelazna and Jeroschinska Admiral Togo, or to make a dash for a safe harbor at Vladivostok until ble fleet has been re-enforced by liear Admiral Nebogatoff's division,

Rojestvensky left the shelter of the between Japan and France from assuming ao critical stage. Apparently he anchored just outside the three-mili limit, for French disputches from Kamranh Bay said he would not leave the Annam coast until he was joined by Nebogatoff's ships.

Concurrently the wires have been busy with rumors concerning Neboga-toff's collection of antiques, which is to re-enforce Rolestvensky. This squadron may have reached the China Sea without having been observed by reliable witnesses, but that does not seem probable.

weeks in the China Sea, a time long enough, it would seem, to satisfy him that Togo has no intention of leaving neighborhood of the Japanes naval bases to attack him.

Admiral Togo is still keeping hi fleet well away from the trade routes vessels would have been reported long before this. In addition to the many ports which have been closed by the Japanese to com merce, the whoie of the island of For mosa has now been proclaimed to be under martial law. It might be in ferred from this that Togo was in waiting in Formosan waters, but such an inference would be rash. Only the event will show where Togo elects to meet Rojestvensky, when Rojestvensky elects to proceed on his course,

No one knows where Togo's fleet is but Togo. There is, however, a quie note of confidence in all Tokio patches, which indicates clearly that in Japan, at least, there is no auxiety for the outcome of the naval comba when it does take place.

The neutrality question seems to truth were known the Tokio statesme were not nearly so angry with France and doubtless France received nothing that could by any stretch of or a "demand for an explanation."

Japan has little to gain and much to lose by compelling a serious diplomatic breach with France over the neutrality question. It is easy to say that by coming to an open rupture with France over a real or fameles grievance Japan could call upon Eng land to fultill the obligations of ally. Such a contingency could be imagined, of course, but it is clear that Japan might lose more than she could gain by dragging England and France into the war.

When four nations engage in war ecessarily four nations are concerned in the adjustment of the terms of At present Japan has prover herself stronger than Itussia on land and sea. If Japan unalded can whip Russia-then only Japan and Russi. will be concerned in the peace settle ment-and Japan can dictate the terms. But If Japan drags France and England into the war the peace con ference will much resemble ence of the powers-and Japan, so far from being able to dicate terms alone would be in the minority and com pelled to accept what she could get,

Abolishes the Grand Jury. That ancient bulwark of Anglo-Saxon justice, the grand jury, is to be abolish ed in Minnesota. A constitutional ameni ment for that purpose received 121,000 majority at the recent election. Minnesota is the first place in the Anglo-Saxon world to do away with the time-honored

The plant of the Condon-Lane Boor and Lumber Company, with the entire town of Horton, W. Va., consisting of about 150 company houses and millions of feet of lumber, were burned by a fire started in the woods by sparks from a donkey engine. The twin town of Whit
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Edward Kennedy, a Great Northern

DOZENS DIE IN WARSAW.

Many Also Wounded in Clashes Be tween Troops and Workmen.

streets. A procession of workmen carry-ing red flags was stopped by cavalry and infantry. The cavalry charged and the infantry fired a voltey. Efficien of the wounded were removed to the hospital. Rojestvensky left the shelter of the but many others were taken to their French harbor at Kamrainh Bay just homes. Another collision between self in time to prevent the neutrality crisis dies and workmen is reported to have between Japan and France from as taken place at the corner of Zhote and Sosnowa streets. Sosnowa streets. A military patrol fired and many were entirely destroyed and on a crowd and kill d or wounded twenty their occupants with them. According to the custom in Russi

According to the custom in Russia Easter Sunday and the days immediately succeeding are given up to feasting and rejoicing. The use of liquor is freely indulged in, especially among the lower classes, and drunkenness is common everywhere. Agitators and anarchists take advantage of this condition of affairs to inflame the minds of the agents to in inflame the minds of the neople, to its cite disorder and to cause uprising. Even in ordinary times the police and military have difficulty in maintaining the peace. On account of the intense feeling arous ed by the massacres arrendant upon the strikes in St. Petersburg, Moscow, War-saw and the other industrial centers in Russia in January last and the sending conscripts to the war in the far East the Easter holidays this year were looked forward to with great apprehension by the authorities and extensive prepara-tions made to quell disturbances. Ac-cording to the Russian calcular Easter Sumany fell on April 30 this year.

Easter Sunday in Russia brought a re script from the Emperor of far greate importance than the absence of disorder a rescript granting religious freedon throughout the captic. The ukase will benefit 20,000,000 believers in the old faith, 12,000,000 non-conformists, an

THOUSANDS PERISHED.

Prightful Destruction Wrought by the Rarthquakes in India. The recent earthquakes in India

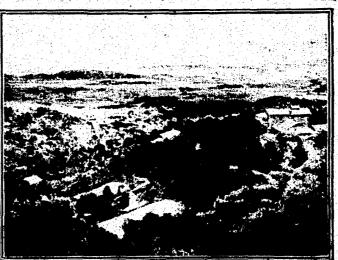
have been much more disastrons than at first supposed. Instead of a few hundred having been killed, the number of fatalities reaches 15,000, with the prospect that hundreds, perhaps thousands, more may have perish The affected area is 700 square miles in extent, with a population running up in the millions and thickly dotted with towns and vidages. In this area nearly every building was damaged

only annihilated and nearly ..00 Gurkha soldiers perished in the ruins



At Simla, which is the summer home if Lord and Lady Curzon, the latter in American, the damage wrought by the earthquakes was confined chiefly a property. Lady Curzon had a nar-





VIEW OF KANGRA VALLEY, WHERE THE EARTH QUAKED.

Roman Catholies, Lutherans, Protestants. Mohammedans and Buddhists. Logically the ukase involves a con plote reversal of Russian policy of seek-ing national unity in compacted provinces by compelling religious unity.

Told in a Few Lines. The Loreto cotton factory, near Mexien City, burned. Loss \$200,000, fully

A law was passed by the New York ogislature forbidding profanity in telehone conversations.

The Susquehanna planing mills, in Williamsport, Pa., operated by George B. Breen, were destroyed by fire. Low A Brooklyn private watchman fatally

shot a burglar making off with a \$700 rug from the residence of George Pren-Arthur Lutchford, secretary and treas urer of the Mechanics' Savings Bank of Rochester, N. Y., committed suicide at his home by shooting,

Tight lacing caused Mrs. Violet O'Connor of St. Louis to have cerebral hemor-rhage and she died shortly after being tricken in the street. The British schooner Laconia was ou cupled five months and survived seven hurricanes and two-score storms in a trip

One of the highest prices ever brough fireman, aged 70, while boasting of having merer been sick a day, dropped dead column as in the second of the first at Havre, Mont. He organized the first are company in Minneapolis.

by an autograph letter of Abraham Lindan Brannan streets, Nan. Francisco. Thomas Reilly, a laborer who was in the Brutt salcon at the time, was killed by brought \$110.

about 40,000,000 of alien faith, including row escape, a tall chimney crashing Roman Catholics, Lutherans, Protestants, through the roof into the room directv above her bedroom. The populous ity of Labore and also the city of Delid suffered severely. At Labore at east seventy persons while many more were infured. Neardamaged, buildings being demolished and thousands killed and injured, Earthquakes are of frrequent occur-

rence in India, a half a dazen serious enpation. In 1842 northern India was shaken by a terrlide convulsion, and in 1897 Assam and Lower Bengal were similarly visited. quakes are probably the most fatal in he history of India, though they fall for short of some of the great selamic disasters in other lands. Thus the earthquakes at Lisbon, Portugal, in 1755, are credited with having stroyed 60,000 persons, while the disturbances in Calabria, Italy, in 1873, wiped out 40,000 lives. It is estimated that as many as 13,000,000 human beings have been swept off the face of the earth by this awful visitation

Frederick H. Wilson, financial clerk in charge of the United States Indian war louse in New York, whose dismissal or Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock has not yet received official notice of his

A pitched battle was fought early the other merning between two robbers and John C. Brutt, a salvonkeeper at Second



Seven years ago the American people dropped a great load of anxiety. Fifty years had gone by since they had known foreign war, and a generation had passed since they bud left the battle field. And the supreme issue of nations was in the balance between them and Spain. Seven years ago on May George Dewey struck that issue from Bay as Horatio Nelson had salled into Aboukir Bay 100 years before, and won a complete victory. From the techni-cal viewpoint Manila was not an epoch-making battle, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. With the American people it replaced uncertainty by confidence All chance of attack on our Pacific coast was removed by the first blow. And that blow proved the mettle of our men and Spain's. It made sure the victory off Santiago. Best of all. and Decatur and Perry and Macdon ough and Farragut and Porter and Di vis was not extinct. It proved that this people still had with them the great mayal commander, ready to meet

GROWTH OF CROPS SLOW.

Temperature Conditions, Rowever, Favorable in All Sections.

The weather bureau's weekly summary f crop conditions is as follows: While the temperature conditions of the week ending May I were much more favorable than in the previous week, complaints of slow germination and growth are very general in the Missouri and Red River of the North vallers, middle Bocky Mountain slope, lake region and New England. In the middle and south Atlantic and gulf States and in the south Attantic and guit States and in the Ohio valley very favorable temperatures prevailed, but the central and west gulf States and Ohio and central Mississippi valleys suffered from excessive rains. which hindered farming operations ma-terially. New England, North Dakota, Montana and Florida continue to need rain, but the portions of the Jawer Mis-souri and Ohio valleys needing moisture in the previous week have received am-ple rainfull. On the Pacific coast the week was too coul for favorable growth,

week was too cool for layorable growth, with frequent frosts in Washington.

In most of the principal corn States corn planting has made show progress, but extensive preparations for this work have been made and, with favorable weather, much will be planted during the first week in May.

Planting generally is finished in the Southern States and is nearly completed.

Southern States and is nearly completed in the southern portions of Kansas and Missouri. In the southern portion of the middle Atlantic States planting has been actively carried on and has begun as far north as Pennsylvania.

north as Pennsylvania.

Practically all reports indicate that winter wheat continues in unusually promising condition, the temperature of week having been more favorable for the advance of this crop,

Dry weather has been unfavorable for the germination and growth of spring wheat in the Dakotas. The early sown in South Dakota, however, and in Min-nesota is doing well. The outlook for spring wheat in lowa, Oregon and Wash-ington is very promising. ington is very promising.

The general outlook for outs continues

favorable in the most important oat States. In Kansas and Nebraska the crop is recovering from the effects of previous cold. In the Dakotas and por-tions of the lake region germination has not been satisfactory. Seeding is well advanced in the more northerly sections of the central part of the country and has begun in the northern part of the uiddle Atlantic States.

Over the eastern portion of the cotton belt the weather conditions have been favorable for cotton planning, which is nearing completion in the more southerly districts, good stands being generally in-diented. In the central and western districts planting is much delayed, less districts planting is much delayed, less than half of the area having been planted in Louisiana and Oklahoma and Indian territories, only about one-half in northern Mississippi and very little in Arkansas, practically none being up in the last mentioned State.

In northern, central and eastern counties of Texas much of the cotton area remains unplanted, and much cotton land in both Texas and Louisiana has been

in both Texas and Louisiana has been in both Teams and consisted and extensive replanting will be necessary. Over the southwestern part of the cotton area in Texas cotton is generally doing well and Texas corton is generally doing well and chopping and cultivation are in progress. Transplanting tobacco is nearly finish-ed in South Carolina and has begun in North Carolina. Plants are generally plentiful, but are backward in Ohio and

are being damaged somewhat by insects in Kentucky, where preparations for planting are in progress. While the reports respecting fruit are more favorable, they indicate that peaches have been extensively killed, al-

though an excellent crop is promised in southern Georgia, and in a few other sections the outlook for peaches is some what improved,

Briet Nama Items. Fire destroyed an entire block of build ings at Ettabens, Miss., the loss aggre gating \$75,000.

During a dispute about a girl at New ark, Ohio, Harry Freiner shot and killed mas Osborne, aged 25 years.

SODIETY MEETINGS.

METHODIST EPISOOPAL CHURCH. Passes, Sev. H. A. Shekkor. Presching at 10:20 a. m. 1840 f.20 p. m. Cleas meeting, 10 a. m. Habbath school, 12 m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Junior League, 6:30 p. m. Tuesday. Prayer meeting, 7:50 p. m. Tursday.

PRESENTERIAN CHURCH — Regular church service at 10:80 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School immediately after morning service, Y. P. S. C. at 6 p. m. Prayes meeting Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. DANISH EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH - Bev.

P. W. Broker, Pastor, Bervices every flund

8T. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.—
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J. P. HUM, Secretary. MARVIN POST, No. 840, G. A. R., meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each month. DRIEVAN SHITH, Post Com. A. L. POSD, Adjulant.

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M. A. BATES, H. P. FRED NABRIE, See.

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GRAYLING CHAPTER ORDER OF MANN ERNSTAR, No. 85, meets Wednesday evening on at before the full of the moon.

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MES. EMMA L. KERLER, Sec. COURT GRAYLING, L. O. F., No. 790,-Moste

second and last Wednesday of each month.

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TRY TO WRECK TRAIN

TWO ATTEMPTS MADE UPON LAKE SHORE LIMITED.

Railroad Detectives Find Ties on Track and Take Four Boys in Charge-Gale Does Great Damage in Vicinity of New York.

Detectives of the Lake Shore railroad have discovered a second attempt to wreck the Lake Shore Limited No. 22 and placed under arrest four boys who The first attempt was made last week, when the same train struck a keg filled with pails, which had been placed in the center of the track. Since that time the tracks have been watched close-ly. Detectives Mitchell and Roberts were riding out on the track near To were riding out on the track near re-ledo, Ohio, when their car struck a brace of ties arranged in "V" shape. They had hardly struck the ties when they found some boys in hiding and captured four of them. They are John, George and Joe Galinski, aged 10, 18 and 13 years respectively, and Mike Sobejka, and 13 tears. aned 13 years.

FIGHTING FOR PENNANTS.

Standing of the Clubs in Prominent Base Ball Leagues

Standing of the National League:

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GALE WRECKS SAILING BOATS. Crew of Five on Schooner in the Hud son Have Narrow Escupe.

Many small sailing boats have been thrown ashore and wrecked in a gale which has swept New York and its vi-cinity. About New Hockelle and Larchmont on Long Island sound at least a score of small boats are lying on the beach. One large schooner bound up the sound had all the canvas she was carry ing blown to shreds and was nearly driv upon the Long Island shore the capmen narrowly escaped death by sizing of their schooner in the Hudson, off Innwood. The boat was bound down with a cargo of bricks from Haverstray when the gale came and the whole outli

FIRE LOSS OF HALF A MILLION

Roberts-Parker Grocery House at St.
Joseph, Mo., Destroyed.
The Roberts-Parker wholesale grocery
store in St. Joseph, Mo., was destroyed
by fire. The loss is estimated at half
a million dollars on stock and building.
The fire stayted in the third story, half The fire started in the third story half an hour after the last employe had left for the day. Its cause is not known. A heavy wind made the work of the firemen difficult and for a time an entire block was threatened. Jesse I. Roberts, president of the company, announced that business would be resumed at once.

Wife and Children Killed.

James Hunter, a farmer living near Bridgeman, Minn., put some dynamite with which he intended to blow out some stumps in the kitchen stove oven to thaw. He then forgot about it and went to town. Shortly afterward an explo-sion wrecked the house and killed his wife and two children. Hunter became violently insane as a result.

While still 300 Buried Wealth.
While taking up the 1 rick walls of an old elstern at Fort Madison, Iowa, Untractor James J. Maley discovered a bag took out a party Sunday, intending to containing \$11,500 in gold coin, also two casks of wine, the wood of which was so badly rotted that the stayes fell to pieces as soon as the dirt around them was te oved, allowing the contents to go to

Two Killed Ten Huet in Tornado. Two persons were killed and ten were hurt, four of whom probably will die, in tornado which almost destroyed the town of Owl. I. To: The loss to property is more than \$50,000. Nearly every business house in the town was wrecked and fifty dwellings were carried away.

Banker Acquitted of Arson.

Isaac N. Perry, former Chicago bank president, has been acquitted of the charge of setting fire to the Chicago Car and Locomotive plant at Hegewisch last October. The jury remained out only thirteen minutes.

May Perplate Railroad Rates. Attorney General Moody, in a formatopinion, holds that Congress has ful power to regulate railroad rates and may delegate it to a commission.

Father Shoots His Son Anton Wierl shot and probably fatality injured his son James, aged 23, at St. Paul, Minn. James returned home about midnight and found his father, who had been drinking, breaking the furniture.

Valuable Race Horses Burn. Fire destroyed twenty-five stables at the St. Louis Fair Association race track

and resulted in the death of twelve or more horses. The principal loser is Frank Gering of St. Louis, whose entire string, with the exception of Flora reath, was destroyed. Warrant for Pastor's Arrest.

Urhana, Ohlo, church circles were stir when Miss Dora Bhaffer swore red when sains both sinder swore out a warrant for the arrest of the Rev. War-ren Wiant, her pastor, on charges of slauder, because he said in a recent sern that women who dance are not vis

Call for Labor Leader. Arthur E. Ireland, national organizers the American Federation of Labor. tenced in the District Court in was sentenced in the District Court in Winfield, Kan., to six months in jail on conviction of a charge of assault on Z. B. Harrity, a non-union machinist, at Arkaness City, Kan., last July.

Professor Starr Telle Class that Ther

There is no superiority of races not-withstanding their profound differences of features, habits and education, ac-cording to Prof. Frederick Starr, the au-thropologist of the University of Chicago. He told his class the other day that the Augio-Saxons are "chesty" and insin-cers. Said he: "We of the Augio-Saxon blood love to fatter ourselves that we cere. Said he: "We of the Anglo-Saxon blood love to flatter ourselves that we are the chosen people of God, the flower of the carth. We are hustlers, but because we desire to meddle. We are as meddlesome a race as ever existed. We cause we desire to meddle. We are dismeddlesome a race as ever existed. We
meddle at home, abroad and everywhere.
England accuses America of chasing the
almighty dollar; it's in the Anglo-Saxon
blood and the almighty dollar is the real
reason of our meddling. The assigned
reason is philosophy. It pains us, yes,
it really pains us to have the nations of
the world so barbarous; so we send merchants to introduce our wares and missionaries our religion. There is not a
barbarous race in the world we have not
tried to enlighten—never failing to bring
back the cash. This is all wrong. An
African living in an African hut, after
an African fashion, is likely to be a bet
ter man than after the Anglo-Saxon has
introduced his religion, his surface civilization and his run. The reason a negrolooks at certain things the way he does
is because he is a negro man, with a is because he is a negro man, i-regnathic daw, speaking at aggluting tive language; and nothing but thousands of years of evolution that made us what we are can ever make him anything that what he is."

EXPLODE DYNAMITE IN A LOCK

Apparent Effort to Imperil the Live of Many Objo Farmers. Another attempt was made early Thursday to destroy the bulkhead lock on the east bank of the Grand reservoir near St. Marys, Ohio one charge of dynamite having been exploded, but it was evidently the intention of the unknown miscreants to explode two charges of dynamite, thus blowing off the upper and lower sates and allow the sea of water to escape into the lowlands and imperil the lives of many farmers. The charge under the upper gates failed to explode and a terrible disaster was thus

averted. The explosion of the charge under the lower gates tore the gate from their fastenings and threw one of them clear out of the lock. The heavy stone masonry was badly wrecked an dead fish are scattered over the ground 200 feet from the lock. Thomas Carper, an old fisherman, was slightly injured by flying splinters. This is the second attempt to destroy the locks within a year. The State authorities have been appealed to in the matter.

HAVOC IN TEXAS CITY.

Terrific Gale Sweeps Through Lared Crumbling Buildings in Its Path. Twenty-one persons were killed and cores injured in Laredo and New La edo. Texas, by a tornado. Rumors o scores injured in Laredo and New Laredo, Texas, by a tornado. Rumors of others killed in places outside of Laredo are heard. The property damage is large. The damage wrought at the Laredo seminary is severe. Not one of the group if magnificent buildings is uniquired. The escape from death of the teachers in the institution is considered miraculous, as the la of some of the buildings which they occupied were completely demolished. The entire town has suffered more or less from the storm. Trees, fences, telegraph and telephone Trees, fences, telegraph and telephone poles, roofs, chimneys, walls and debri of all kinds strew the streets.

STOCK LAW DISREGARDED.

Many Violations of Regulations fo Unloading Cattle from Trains.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson state that he is paying the way for wholesale prosecution of persons and corporations charged with breaking the law which requires stock in transit to be unloaded fed and watered at intervals not greate than twenty-eight hours. The Secretary says that within the last three months 400 violations of the law have been reported and that in every instance an in vestigation will be conducted with a view to prosecution. Attorney General Mondy has given the Secretary an opinion that this law applies to terminal railway com panies as well as to through lines.

hit by a toringdo. The traces of the toes Island railroad were washed away and buildings damaged. The torinado cut a harrow path through the center of the village, destroying four homes, smith shop and several barns. Mrs. Mes ers was dangerously injured

Mayflower and Eight Lost. almard th With eight or ten persons aboard the yacht Maydower, which was the success ful American cup defender in 1886, ha

Killed by Russian Soldiers. Nearly 100 persons were killed or ounded by Russian soldiers in Poland during May day demonstrations, the troops violating orders and shooting into the growds without provocation. Similar disturbances took place in Lodz and Poland is on the eye of a revolt.

Tefferson Buried at Buzzard's Bay

After an impressive ceremony in which implicity was the feature the body of loseph Jefferson was laid at rest in View cemetery at Sandwich, Buz-s Bay Mass. The services at zard's Itay Mass. The serv Crow's Nest, Mr. Jefferson's home, were brief.

Wind Crushes a Factors Three persons were killed and six in-jured by the collapse of a three-story crick building at Thirteenth and Grace cets. Omaha, during a storm building was occupied by the Omaha Casket Company.

Engine Boiler Explodes; Two Die Near Las Vegas, N. M., Engineer E. W. Davis and Fireman J. W. Swisher were killed in the explosion of the boile of an engine bauling a heavy Santa Fe work train. The engine was blown to

Mrs. Nettie Craven Fair Dead.

Mrs. Nettie Craven Fair, who claimed to be the widow of Schator Fair, died in the Mount Pleasant (Iowa) hospital for the insanc. She had been sent ther from Burlington, where she was adjudg ed insane from using oplum.

Belected as Nutmer Senator. Congressman Frank B. Brandegee of

New London, representing the third dis-trict of Connecticut, was chosen by the Republican caucus of the General Asamble as successor to the late United States Senator Orville H. Platt.

mian Ships Scattered by Storm A typhoon in the South China Sea I said to have caused considerable damage to the squadron under Rojestvensky, se eral of his smaller vessels being seattered.

Bandita Rob Schoolma'ama. Two bandits gave a party of New England "schoolmarms" and their attend

BAYS AMERICANS ARE INSINCERE life when they held up two Lick Obs story stages and a surrey of the Mount Hamilton Stage Company near San Jose, Col., and robbed the passyngers of all their worldly possessions at the points of

STRIKE ON IN TOLEDO CHURCH.

Congregation Walks Out in Sympathy with Sunday School Superintendent. A full fiedged sympathetic strike is at the Industrial Heights mission, Toledo, Ohio. It was called on Sunday when the congregation denounced the pastor, the Rev. G. Hoover, and left the church. The procession moved up to a corner grocery, where services were held, while the Rev. Hr. Hoover continued to pray by himself. For some time past the Rev. Mr. Hoover had been asking the Sunday school superintendent, Fred Hartman, to resign. The congregation wanted Hartman to stay. Criticism from the pulpit on the decision of the people precipitated the walkout. It is said strike tactics were carried out in the evening duct services he was treated to a shower of mud balls.

TRAGEDY IN THE ARMY.

Capt. W. A. Raibourn Wounds Lieut Point and Commits Suscide Capt. W. A. Raibourn, Twenty-ninth lufantry, U. S. A., committed suicide at Fort Douglas, Utah, Sunday, after mak-

ing a murderous assault on Lieut. William H. Point, also of the Twenty-ninth-infantry. Point was shot twice by his superior officer, one bullet penetrating his left thigh and another inflicting a deep flesh wound in his right leg. After Lieut, Point had fallen, Capt. Raibourn turned his revolver upon himself, sending a bullet into his head about three inches behind his right car. He died almost in-stantly. Capt. Raibourn had been drink-ing heavily and the tragely was an outing heavily and the tragedy was an out-growth of his arrest on a charge of

\$50,000 NECKLACE RECOVERED.

Belongs to Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt-Beveral Baggagemen Arrested. Dispatches received from St. Augustine. Fla. state that a diamond necklace owned by Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt and valued at \$50,000, the loss of which had been kept a secret, has been recovered. As a result of the investigation several buggagemen on one of the Florida lines have been arrested. Mrs. Vanderbilt's uecklace was stolen on her recent visit to Florida. With other jewels it had been placed in her trunks by a maid. When the trunks were opened no trace of it could be found, although nothing else was missing. The first baggageman arrested made a full confession as to the

riffing of tourists' trunks. GIVES SPEAR SEVEN YEARS.

Oberlin Cushier Pleads Guilty to One Indictment Against Him. A. B. Spear, cashler of the closed itizens' Bank of Oberlin, Ohio, in the United States District Court in Cleveiand, entered a plea of gully to one count of the indictment, charging him with making false entries in the bank's books. District Attorney Sullivan recommended that all other indictment ommended that an other indecements figathst Spear, containing fifteen counts, be nolled. Judge Taylor at once sentenced Spear to seven years imprisonment in the Ohio penitentary. Spear made the false entries in the bank's books in connection with the alleged de-osits made by Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick.

OFERS MUCH LAND TO BOOTH.

Volunteers' Leader May Have 90,000

Acres for Colonization.

A gift of 90,000 acres of land, ideally situated in a productive Southern State, has been offered to the Volunteers of America through the head of the organization, Gen. Ballington Booth.
givers are a syndicate that wishes colonize the State, and places only condition upon the gift—namely, that the tract shall be used by the Volunteers in their work and that the State in which the land lies shall be widely advertised

American Ship for Turkey. The Turkish government has placed an order for an armored eruiser with the Tornado Sweeps a Village.

The town of Round Lake, Minn. was hit by a tornado. The tracks of the Rock it is expected that still others will follow. shortly

Thirteen Doomed in a Mine Thirteen miners were entombed and robably killed by an explosion in the probably killed by an explosion in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Coal Com-pany's mine No. 19, four miles west of Wilburton, Okla. There is little prospect of their hodies being recovered for several days.

Bank Fails for \$30,000. The Middleton bank in Waverly, Mo. has failed for \$30,000. Secretary of State Swanger has received notice that the cashier, E. H. Lewis, is accused of disappearing with \$30,000 of the funds as failed for \$30,000. Secretary of State has closed the

Gould Resigns Directorship. George J. Gould has resigned as director of the Southern Pacific and mad his intention of ending his nection with all the Harriman party

La Follette Signs Anti-Graft Bill. Gov. La Follette of Wisconsin has signed the anti-graft bill, which forbids "tips" of any description. All employes are prohibited from requesting or acceptgratuities.

Convicted of Bribe-Taking. Former State Senator Harry Bunker of San Francisco was convicted of ac cepting a bribe to grant immunity to ertain corporations which were to be it

Philadelphia Grab Is Killed. Weaver has killed the scheme Philadelphia's gas works to the Inited Cas improvement Company 1980 for a cash payment of \$25,000,000 St. Paul Globe Is No More.

After a life of nearly thirty years the St. Paul Globe, the only morning Demo-eratic daily in Minnesota, has suspended ablication. Philadelphia Near Bankruptcy. Philadelphia, near bankruptey, pr Philadelphia, near bankruptey, pr ioses to lease its city gas plant to t

United Gas Improvement Compar seventy-five years for \$25,000,000. Wolker Sells "Commonolitan !! John Brisben Walker has sold his en tire interest in the Cosmopolitan Maga zine, of which he has for years be prietor and editor, to William R. Hearst

Public Debt Almost a Billion. The public debt, according to a state-ment at the close of business April 30, is \$1837,217,941, an increase for the month of \$5,503,384.

Recorder Discharges Patterson Jury The jury in the case of Nan Patterson New York reported there was no hor of reaching an agreement, and it wa

Three Die in a Hotel Fire England "schoolmarms" and their attentions, thirty in all, a touch of far western hotel fire in Duluth.



Belf-government is gradually developing in the Philippines. In 1902 Congress passed a law which provided that a census of the population of the islands should be taken, and that within two years after the completion of the census a representative popular assembly should be elected. The cenus was completed on March 27th of the present year, and on that day Gov ernor Wright issued a proclamation fixing March 27, 1907, as the date for the first general Filipino election. The legislative body to be chosen is to ontain between 50 and 100 members. elected by popular vote, and is to form, jointly with the Philippine Commission, the two-chambered legislatur of the new government. This legisla-ture, besides making laws, is to elect two commissioners to represent them in Washington. It is expected that these commissioners will be allowed to it in the American Congress much as he territorial delegates now have seats bere.

Moroccan affairs continue to hold an mportant place in international disussion. The desire of Germany, as stated in a memorandum to the United States, is for the maintenance of the open door" in Morocco, for the preser tation of the status quo, and for the protection of the commercial interests of all trading nations. It is pointed out, however, on the other hand, that the Anglo-French agreement of April, 1904, expressly declared for the principle of commercial freedom. April 6th. King Edward, on his way to John Queen Alexandra at Marseilles, paid a irlef visit to President Lorset at Paris and the incident following so oon upon the call of Emperor William of Tanglers was interpreted by the reach press as a reaffirmation of the Anglo-French agreement.

A reduction in freight rates on the Panama railway was suggested to Sec retary Taft by the ministers in Washngton of the republics in Central America and on the west coast of South America. They said that it cost much more to ship goods to New York by way of this railway than to send the same goods to London by the Straight of Magellan. They also asked that equal facilities be granted to goods shipped by all steamship lines, and charged that under the old man gement-that is, before the United States gained control of the road various lines were discriminated against. Secretary Taft promised that he discriminations would cease at once.

The President has, by proclamation invited "all the nations of the earth to take part in the commemoration" of the 300th anniversary of the first English settlement in America, at Jamestown, "by sending their naval vessels to the said celebration and by making such representations of their military organizations as may be prop The festivities are to last from May to November, 1907, and are de scribed as "an international naval, mil itary and marine celebration." Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, the president of managers of the exposition, at the time of his death, was engaged in persuading the various States to be represented at the exposition in some official

John Hay, when an undergraduate at Brown University, assisted in de-fending some lower classmen from unfair treatment in a hazing episode; but when a classmate recently wrote him about the incident, he humorously replied, "I remember nothing of my heroic conduct in the Gordon case. But my recollection of everything in those far-off days is dim, and heroism was my daily habit. I couldn't sleep nights if I hadn't saved somebody's life. Now I only save a nation now and then." Secretary Hay, just before he replied to the letter, must have been reading some Washington correspondent's de scription of how he had prevented the dismemberment of China.

In the Sunday schools of the United States there are fewer pupils by about five millions than the number enrolled in the public schools. Putting the fact in another form, of every three girls and boys who attend the day schools, only two go to Sunday school It would be a delicate task to apportion the responsibility for this state of affairs; but it is fair to suggest that when children stay away from the public schools their parents are held responsible.

The annual report of the Philippine Commission records improved conditions in the islands, as to tranquillity and the disappearance of ladrones, or robber bands, except in certain moun tainous and sparsely settled districts in Samar, Mindanao and Jolo. enrollment in the nublic schools has risen during the year from 183,000 to 263.000.

With the beginning of the new ndministration for the second time in succession there is no change of party control, whereas from Garfield's inauguration to McKinley's there was every time an alternation from party to party, which made the retiring President seem almost like a captive chief gracing the triumph of a conqueror.

-:--:-Persons who are close to the author itles at Washington assert that no attempt will be made to change the lo cation and general direction of the Rocky Mountains until the Panama canal job is out of the way.

-:---:-The government of Brazil has elevated its legation at Washington to the rank of an embassy, and has se lected its Minister at London, Sonhor Nabuso, is its first ambassador to this

CHICAGO'S BUBWAYS.

The Busy Underground World of th Western Metropolis.

The stranger visiting Chicago has no idea of the immense amount of traffic that is being carried on beneath his feet. As a matter of fact that enterprising western metropolis has developed a vas western metropolis and developed a vas-underground system so quietly that many of her own residents are unaware of its great extent. This compares quite favorably with New York's method of sub-way construction, where the people liter-ally "tumbled" to the work by falling down the gaping chasms in the streets being operated upon or else were made aware of it by dynamite-hurled messages from the rending rocks. Without noise, dirt, smoke or the slightest delay to traffic, the central business district of Chicago has been honeycombed with these tunnels. Twenty-eight miles al-ready have been constructed, and exten-

sions are projected. To the visitor, Chicago's principal streets might seem as much congested with traffic as ever and yet, far below their surface, scores of electric locom tives are pulling freight trains that are taking thousands of tons of coal into the boller rooms of skyscrapers, without dirt, noise or bign of effort in the street. They are removing tons of ashes, and caring for the exervations from the base of buildings in course of construction. More than this, they are hauling daily many thousands or tons of freight which was formerly carried over the pavements Think of the relief this must afford

But that is not all. There is another way in which the tunnel system will be used to materially advance Chicago's interests to materially advance Chicago's interests. On Feb. 15, 1905, the company entered into a contract with the government under which all of Chicago's second, third and fourth-class mail matter will be transferred from the railway stations to the new postoffice through the tunnels. A further plan to utilize the tunnel for mall nursees involves the hubbling of mail purposes involves the building of chutes connecting the street corner mail boxes with boxes in the tunnel, where the mail can be collected by cars. When the new schemes are perfected

and added to the present pneumatic tube service for first-class mail, Chicago will have the most perfect underground mall facilities in the world. Through the tunnels 800 tons of mail will be handled daily, in special locked United States cars. The system will be in operation by June 1. PATTERSON JURY DISAGREES.

Show Girt Accused of Murder of Young

to Go Free.

The jury who have been trying Nan Patterson in New York for the murder of Caesar Young, the bookmaker, report ed that they were mable to reach an agreement, and Recorder Goff discharged them from further consideration of the case. They had been sent back once to try again to reach a verdict. Nan Patterson was remanded to the Tombs.

This means she will so the district attorney's office has announce



NAN PATTERSON.

ed she will not be tried again in case of a disagreement. One of the officers of the court said the jury stood three for acquittal and nine for manslaughter tirst degree.

Nan was in court when the jury came for the second time, but was in a dead faint the whole time. A physician was sent for, but did not arrive, and Nan was carried back to her cell still uncon-

"Caesar" Young was killed on June 4 1904, while riding in a cab with Nan Pat-terson. She was arrested and has been tried three times on the charge of murder. The first trial failed because of the illness of a juror. In the second trial the jury disagreed. The theory of the pros-ccution was that the girl killed Young because he was about to sail to Europe to get rid of her. She declares he sho himself because he had to leave her.



Russia has nerve. She can talk higge after a licking than any nation on earth However, it is hardly a "source don!" to the lid to go away and leave Tuf If Castro keeps lifting the lid to tha

asphalt pot he'll fall in and scald himself to death. Washington city hasn't even the ex citement of a horse race now to keep i from going asleep.

The beef trust is about to receive an other indictment. But will the beef trust take notice of it? Mrs. Chadwick will always regret that

she never had the pleasure of meeting James Hazen Hyde. The farmers have had to pay hiel prices for their flour, but they got good money for their wheat. Taft must have put his whole weight on the lid of the Venezuela affair. Not

even a squeal is heard. Japan accepted "friendly offices" once and was robbed of Port Arthur. She

vants no more of them.

When Secretary Taft sits on a monop oly it is never likely to look so plumy and symmetrical afterward. Nevertheless, young Hyde is evidently a disappointment to those who supposed that he would quit under fire.

Not to have been mentioned as a bride for King Alfonso has become a distinc tion among European princesses. A Virginia chemist and college profes

sor says that the soul dies with the brain.
Put him in the same cage with Osler.
No sooner is Mr. Rockefeller smitten upon one check than he writes another Thus he obeys the Biblical injunction.

Having been obliged to have his valet arrested, the Czar is now confronted with

difficulties. John W. Gates lost the mere trifle of a million in getting out of the wheat cor-ner. Joe Leiter knows that was dirt cheap sidestepping.

the servant problem along with his other



had been restored in Colorado, Breathitt County, Ken tucky, has to loom up to disturb the national screnity.-Chicago News.

Professor Woodbead, of Cambridge tys alcohol is a paralyzing agent This statement can be confirmed. It ins "paralyzed" millions .- New York Herald. It will be like some fool Congress

nan to object to reimbursing General

orter for the money he has spent hunting for Paul Jones' body.-Syru cuse Herald. "Women are far less graceful than men," says Dr. Arnold, of New Haven. It takes a man chock full of dry scien-

tific data to say such a thing at that.-Kansas City Journal. Henry James' dislike for President Roosevelt's literary style is perhups ulid emotion compared with the Pres dent's feeling about the style of Mr

It is stated that John W. Gates has earned not less than half a million in July wheat, and yet some people won der why their loaf of bread is so small -Philadelphia Record. It is believed that there is a proper

lames.—Chicago News.

ud necessary limit to the patience of the United States, even as regards the putty-blowing President of Venezu ela.—Syracuse Post-Standard. Belasco is making the Theatrical Trust comprehend the state of public

hought. At the conclusion of the ense there may be an opportunity to revive A Hole in the Ground."-St. Louis Republic. It is only a question of time who ore of Dr. Dowle's disciples will pre fer a plain financial statement to any

udditional inspired revelations from the founder of Zion Illinois.—Butte Inter Mountain. One of the first things the Japanes ouquerors did in Manchuria was to apply vigorous sanitary measures, thing which in itself marks the Japa

nese nation as among the highly civil ized peoples.—Seattle Times. Mr. Baer says there is no sentiment in the coal business. When one considers the number of persons who froze to death last winter in the big eities for lack of means to buy dear fuel, one can well believe that.-Rocheste

While there is an instinctive feeling of repulsion at securing evidence against the Beef Trust by ureas of detectives or spies, the fault lies with the packers themselves, who conspire secret against the laws.-Kansas City Times.

The president of the Canal Commis on, with a Shocon salary, is also president of a railread, and says he will not give up that position. If he can fill both places satisfactorily he must be an extraordinary man .- Montgomery Advertiser. It is pointed out that an aillance of

States could rule the world. Perhais it would, but it would first have to get the consent of Joseph Chamberlain and United States Senate.-Philadel phia Inquirer. Just how well our financial institutions are safeguarded is shown by the statement that the their of \$1.500,000

Japan, Great Britain and the United

from the Virst National Bank of Milwattkee by Frank G. Bigelow was disovered by the merest aveldent -- New York Telegram. Those Kansas City get rich-quick op rators who closed up their shop and left a "Good-by, snekers" sign on the door must have had great confidence in their good start and sprinting abili

ties, in addition to their naivete.-In dianapolis News. ommercial-Appeal.

The legal battle between the Marconf and De Forrest wireless telegraphy interests is said to have resulted in a victory for both sides. This astonishing outcome ought to give Russin fresh home that she may after all whipped into peace with honor --Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Simultaneously with the impossible indictments of the Beef Trust magmates they raise the price of meat without any other excuse than an apparen desire to make the public pay the cost of their defense on a criminal trial. The increase of meat prices just at this functure seems to be adding insult to Injury .- Paterson Call.

No one can blame Japan for shying a little when other nations offer their "friendly offices." Japan's memory is long enough to recall that it is due to the friendly offices of certain powers that she had to expend the millions of money and thousands of lives that it east to take Part Arthur the secondtime.-Pittsburg Disputch.

A Philadelphia trolley car crashed into a bakery wagon and sent a load. of ples through the air. What germs in the drinking water and ples in the air, Philadelphia must b unhealthful place, indeed .- Buffalo Ex-

A Colorado clergyman says the world has but two more years to exist. He is probably going on the theory that the world enunot stand another Colorado election, which scheduled two years hence .- Washing ton Post.

"Ruffalo Bill" Cody, who has made such a determined effort to get a divorce from the wife who has been his faithful companion since they were both young, fails decisively. Bill seems to be a back number, morally and physically.-Indianapolls Sentinel.

Susan B. Anthony Insists that diorce is not an evil. Miss Anthony is convinced. In fact, that nothing should be thrown in the way of a married woman who at last sees the folly of marriage. But Miss Anthony may be prejudiced against the men.-Chicago and Iron Company. Record-Herald.



Dealings in leading ro tall lines suffered from Chicago. the extension of the teamsters' strike, but the aggregate volume of trade has maintained increasing proportions. The general movement of commodities further momentum, and in both production and new demands the developments impart strength to business. Railroad freight is more largely made up of staple merchandise, facfory products and raw material, and further activity is seen in lake traffic. mine and forest output furnishing large tonnage. Spring work on the farms is responsible for lessened marketing of grain, yet the receipts exceeded those of the corresponding week last year by fully 30 per cent and the shipments from this port air

most doubled. Supplies of primary foodstuffs have been ample for requirments, and with the winding up of recent disastrous speculation in wheat market operations are now controlled by normal conditions. The severe decline stimu-ated fresh vigor in flour transactions for both domestic and foreign consumption.

Agricultural advices affirm beneficial effect of the late rainfall upon growing crops. Spring seeding covers greater acreage than last year, and reports from the ranges are good as

Local financial affairs present s healthy aspect. Funds continue in ready supply for legitimate entercial banks are well loaned up, there in choice bonds and realty improvements, the discount rate being favor-

els, against 1,647,413 bushels. Recelpts of live stock were 317.187 head. compared with 320,477 head last week end 285,261 head a year ago, and the demand was insufficient to maintain prices. Compared with the closings a week ago, declines are seen in wheat 22 cents a bushel, corn cents, oats 1 cent, pork 45 cents, choice beeves 5 cents, bogs 10 cents and sheep 35 cents.—Dun's Commercial

Irregularity still char-New York. acterizes distributive active and ontdoor construction is of unprecedented volume. The weather has been ruther too cool for the best of crop preparation or germination. Labor is well employed, and the one conspicuous exception of Chieago, where the teamsters' strike af-

Prices of many staples have been weak and unsettled, and cereals, cotton, some kinds of pig iron, copper, and country produce have moved lower. Rallway earnings are good.

Collections generally are rather tardy, especially at the South. Crop conditions, though the season is backward, promise well as regards the cerpect.-Bradstreet's Trade Report



diamapolls News.

The Czar thinks it would injure the prestige of the Russian arms if he made peace; but we can assure him that everybody outside of Russia.

Arms in Manchuria.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$4.00 to \$6.80; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.00 to \$5.45; sheep fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.30; wheat, No. 2, 91c to 95c; corn, No. 2, 47c to 49c; oast, standard, 27c to 29c; rye, No. 1, 73c to 74c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$6.00 to \$11.00; butter, choice creamery, 22c to 29c; cors, fresh 13c to 15c. potence. 24c; eggs, fresh, 13c to 15c; potatoes, 18c to 25c.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to 86:40; hogs, choice heavy, \$4.00 to \$5.40; sheep, common to prime, \$2.50 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 91c to BUc; corn, No. 2, white, 47c to 48c; onts, No. 2 white, 20e to 31c. St. Louis-Cattle, \$1.50 to \$5:85; hogs,

\$4.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$4.00 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2, 90c to 98c; corn, No. 2, 46e to 48e; onts, No. 2, 27e to 20e; rye, No. 2, 70e to 72e. Cincinnati—Cartle. \$4.00 to \$6.00; hogs. \$4.00 to \$5.40; sheep, \$2.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 00c to see; corn, No. 2 mixed, 48c to 49c; oats, No. 2

mixed, 20c to 30c; rye, No. 2, 80c to

Detroit-Cattle, \$3.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$4.00 to \$5.40; sheep, \$2.50 to \$5.75; wheat, No. 2, 99e to \$1.00; corn, No. 3, yellow, 48e to 49e; oats, No. 3 white, 32e to 33e; rye, No. 2, 83e to 84e.

Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 northern, 96c to \$1.00; corn, No. 3, 45c to 47c; onts, No. 2 white, 50c to 31c; rye, No. 1, 77c to 78c; barley, No. 2, 50c to 52c; pork, mess, \$11.85. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 99c to

\$1.01; corn, No. 2 mixed, 48c to 50c; onts, No. 2 mixed, 30c to 32c; rye, No. 2, 81c to 82c; clover seed, prime, \$8.75. Buffalo-Cattle, choice shipping steer \$4.00 to \$0.65; hogs, fair to choice, \$4.00 to \$5.40; sheep, fair to choice, \$4.50 to \$4.75; lambs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to

New York-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$0.35; New York—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$0.35; hogs, \$4.00 to \$5.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 90c to 91c; corn, No. 2, 53c to boe; oats, natural, white, 35c to 30c; butter, creamery, 25c

to 27c; eggs, western, 15c to 18c Mart News Notes. Miss Rose Hammil of Chicago, home

sick in South Memphis, Tenn., took a fatal dose of carbolic acid. Italy's railway strike is practically over, the socialist deputies having reach-ed an understanding with Premier Fortis

John W. Gates and others are planning a deal to get control of what is known as the river coal combine, capitalzed at \$30,000,000.

Secretary Morion denies that he ever signed an order granting rebates by the Santa Fe railroad to the Colorado Fuel

as to arbitration.

to pasturage and stock

orises, and while most of the commers considerable investment of money Grain receipts were 3,230,253 bush els, against 3,320,721 bushels last week and 2,350,033 bushels a year ago. The Dipments aggregated 3,203,614 bush-

fects trade and shipments, disputes are below the average for May 1.



A correspondent in the Russian province of Orel, write one of these incidents the infurlated peasants returned owards them give them money and grain. But I have wittessed cases in which the estate agent or some other oill-ransachial has come out and denounced the people, and had many hood, a fither beaten as if they were slaves. The day following killed."

ng in the London Graphic, says: "The agrarian rising in this province has assumed alarming proportions, and at was abelian that the control of the control o this province has assumed glarming proportions, and at was obvious that trouble was in the wind. The leaders several places has already developed into open revolution, demanded an immediate supply of bread and corn, and, in Scenes of the wildest disorder are common, and robberies reply, the manager of the estate, thinking he was strong tre of almost daily occurrence. The country houses of the enough to overpower the moh, ordered his servants to fire well-to-do are beselved by crowds of peasants, who de-naud bread, and corn to sow in their fields. For hours numbers the defenders of the house were beaten, and the hey stand, and sometimes handlords who are well disposed peasants broke down the door of the granary; and helped hemselves to all the grain they could find. Later they ransacked the house, and other houses in the neighborhood, and many of the landlords and their managers were

When twilight shadows softly fall Across a fading light,
And vesper bells in music call—
The heralds of the night—
O, hour that breathes of peace and rest

To those who sadly roam. Hour that is dearest, sweetest, best, When evening brings us home!

Forgot the trials of the day, The toil, the grief, the care— All seemed to fade at sunset ray. The world grow bright and fair; And yet the shadow deeper falls. And weary wanderers roam; But through the gloom a loved voice calls

When evening brings us home. And lagging foot quick onward press To meet those at the door. Where love in answering caress

Waits loyal everning caress
Waits loyal everning.
Most blessed hour of all the day
To those who toll and roam!
Love is the star that lights our way
When evening brings us home.

And, if it be that no one waits In earthly home to greet. There is a home beyond the gates Where all who love shall meet: So we may say in truth alway To those who sadly roam; Each heart shall find its own some day

When evening brings us home. -New York Tribune.

IS neighbors called old Sir Giles Travis a misanthrope and a miser. Not that they knew him for he never left the high walls which surrounded his estate, and on no account was anyone allowed to enter hi domain, save the necessary servant and tradesmen.

One warm summer's afternoon Sir Giles was being drawn in his bath chair across the lawn, thence along a narrow pathway until the wall, was reached. Under the tree there was a comfortable lounge chair, in which with the help of his footman, Sir Glies

"Push me a little nearer the wall," be cried, irritably, "Now you can go. Come back at 4 o'clock," The baronet gazed after the footman

until he disappeared among the trees. He then proceeded to displace a stone inttoin of fingers groped around, and he gave sign of deep satisfaction.
"No letter. They will come, then

A quarter of an hour passed, and he tapped his fingers impatiently on the magazine which lay on his lap.

"That's the boy," he muttered, as "She is late."

The voice was impatient. Sir Giles chuckled softly.

The impatience of youth.'

A glad cry was heard, the sound of of a kiss, then another kiss. "The girl now," the old man said

softly Twenty years of solitude had left their marks on his face. As he listen-ed to the love chatter of the young

couple on the other side of the wall his face gradually softened. Not always had he been the recluse and misanthrope. There was no proud er and happier man than Sir Glies had been some twenty years ago. His life and hopes were centered in his son Jack, a fine, manly young fellow, such

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as would gladden any father's heart. The quarel was a sudden one. The rosen-a woman. Hard words were exchanged, for they were both posses sors of the Arayis temper. A parting in anger and two months afterward news came of Jack's death. Not a line or message had been left for his

The blow was a terrible one to Sir Giles. He closed his heart to human sympathy and retired to the sc clusion of Travis towers.

A few months afterward he was stricken with paralysis, and the long years had been wearisome with auffer ing and ennui.

For the last two or three months ; new interest had come into his life. The whole pretty love comedy seemed to have been played within earshot.

When first tuey met there was the difference of youth. Their voices a first were loader, but as their love increased their seats on the failen tree without the wall grew closer together and their voices were lowered when

WHEN EVENING EXINGS US HOME they began to exchange sweet loving nothings.

A week ago the boy had declared his passion. The old man's heart seemed to unfreeze and grow human again as he listened to the passionate plending of the lover, the shy, timld answer and the frenzied kises that were ex-

Only twice since that day had they met, and a cloud had appeared on was slience. love's horizon.

ngerly. "He refused absolutely," he answer- and placed it in the hole.

ed, mournfully. "What reason did he give, Jack?"

she demanded, indignantly.
"Your guardian told me that I was a penniless adventurer, and that it was your money I was after." he re-

plied, moodily. "The wretch! But it doesn't matter." We can marry without blur." "I did not know you had so much

money, dear one. You are rich and I nothing." "But we have love."

"We can't live on that. It is true, have my profession, but I have only ust become a doctor, and it is an up fill game unless one has money to ny a practice. I have none."

"Did he not hold out any hope?" she sked, tremulously.

"Yes. He said that if I could prove o him that I had a practice which ould bring in five hundred a year he would give his consent. I must say

that he is reasonable, but-"Will it take you very long to gain meli a practice?

'Years.' "Let us marry at once," she cried, impulsively. "I don't mind being

"If you marry without his consent

you get none of the money, and 1 couldn't let you do that, darling Joan." There was a silence and Sir Giles oked irritably at the hole.

"I have made up my mind, dear." "I am going away at once

row. You must forget me. It is not fair to you." There was a sound of sobbling.

"Don't cry, darling," he said, plead "The fool" the baronet muttered.

"I can't let you go!" she cried, miserably. "I will work hard-and-in time

perhaps——"
The boy's voice broke.
"Don't go to morrow. Stay till Saturdny. It is only four days," she usked, pleadingly.

There was the sound of a passionate

farewell, the rustle of leaves, and all Saturday afternoon came and Sir

"What did he say?" she asked Glies looked anxiously at the hole in agerly. The took a large envelope They came at last. Their words

were few and their voices tremulous. "The last time, Jack, that we shall meet here," she said, brokenly, "In the future, perhaps---

"And I shall have no more use for that dear little hole in the wall, where I have found so many love messages rom my darling," She leaned down as she spoke.

"Jack, there is a letter here," she cried, excitedly. "To Jack and Jonn, with a lonely

old man's love," she read in wonder. "Open it at once." With trembling tingers he broke the oal.

From the other side of the wall there came a hourse but gleeful Jack drew a legal-looking documen from the envelope, which he began to

read. "Good heavenus!" he cried at last Am I mad?"

"What is it?" "Old Dr. Rutherford has sold his

practice to me."
"To you?" "Yes, and the money has been paid

-£2,000." Jack: What does it mean ??" Again they heard the hoarse chuckle

There was even more glee in it.

Two years have passed. Jack's most valuable patient is Sir Giles Travis and once or twice a week he old man sits in his chair near the hole in the wall, while a fair and sappy girl plays with her haby on the lawn beside the old baronet.-E. Platt. in Illustrated Bits.

If a man has a good time at night he usually looks it the next morning

MAKING THE WORLD'S HIGHEST BRIDGE.



AN ENGINEERING FEAT AT THE VICTORIA FALLS.

the Cape to Cairo Railway northwards, will cross the gorge immediately below the famous falls at a height of 400 feet above the water level. The clear span of the arch will be 500 feet in length, the bridge being built out from each end of the ravine on the cantilever principle to meet in the middle For the transportation of material a cable way about 900 feet in length has

MIRROR OF MICHIGAN

FAITHFUL RECOUNTING OF HER LATEST NEWS.

Grand Rapids Bribe Takers Are Fined -Fatal Accident on Trolley Road Near Newport-Kewsenaw District to Be Rapidly Developed.

Judge Newnham, in Grand Rapids as judge of the Superior Court, where he conducted the trinks of those implicated n the Lake Michigan water deal scandal rentenced four respondents who pleaded guilty to accepting bribes. The men and their sentences are: Carey P. Bissell, exnember of the board of public works member of the board of public works, who pleaded guilty to accepting a \$500 beloe from Lant K. Salshury, fined \$400; John T. Donovan, ex-Alderman, pleaded guilty to accepting a \$500 beloe, fined \$200; Adrian Schriver, ex-Alderman, pleaded guilty to accepting a \$350 beloe, fined \$100; Ryner Stonehouse, former Alderman, bleaded guilty to accepting a derman, pleaded guilty to accepting a \$200 bribe, fined \$100. All four men paid their fines. Judge Newnham later sentenced ex-Alderman Charles F. Johnson, who had pleaded guilty to accepting a \$350 bribe, to pay a fine of \$200. Johnon paid the tine.

To Develop Keweenaw District.

As an indication of the proposed de relorment of the Keweenaw peninsula properties in the upper peninsula, the Lac LaBelle and Calumet Railroad Co. has filed with the Secretary of State amended articles of incorporation, in-creasing its capital stock from \$150,000 to \$1,000,000, and changing the name of the company to the Kewsenaw Central railroad. The company has for some time operated seven miles of narrow gauge road, and it is now proposed to ex-tend the road to a total length of thirty-two miles and convert it into a broad-gauge road. It is reported that the ex-tension of the road will be followed by the development of several good copper mines in the Kewsenaw country. mines in the Keweennw country.

Benton Harbor Line Is Sold.

James G. McMichael, president of the St. Joseph River Traction Company: C. K. Minary and Mr. Mills, street railway men of Springfield, Ill., have purchased the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Street Railway, and Light Company and have assumed control. The purchas price, it is understood, was \$750,000. The road between the two cities will be the nucleus for a great electric system in this State and Indiana. Work already has been commenced on a line to Dowa-glac, with a branch to Niles, which will gue, with a branch to Niles, which will be extended to Edwardsburg and Elk-hart, Ind. The hart, Ind. The new company will spend \$100,000 in increasing the capacity of the power house in St. Joseph:

Dead in Trolley Line Accident.

In a head-on collision on the Detroit. Monroe and Toledo Shore line between two trolley cars, each running nearly forty miles an hour, H. W. Wheeler, aged 25, of Cedar Springs, was killed and a dozen persons were injured. The collision occurred on a curve a short dis-tance north of Newport. Among the in-jured are John Marks of Wyandotte, Motorman Frank Carman, Mouroe, leg broken and internally injured: Joseph Striker, Rockwood: Morgan Levi, Cher ry street, Toleds, right side cut; Conductor Allan Mulholland of Monroe, face and head badly cut.

Year for Stealing Beefsteak,

Arristed for stealing a beefsteak from a meat market in Climax, Don Force, aged 18, pleaded guilty in the Circuit Court in Kalamazoo and was sentenced to one year in the State reformatory. Force begged the court for mercy on the ground that the steak was intended for ground that the steak was intended for his sick wife, but the plea was refused because of his bad record.

Docan't Think Sister a Suicide. John McLarg of Bay City, whose sister, residing in Tascola county, was found finding dead in her home, says he is convinced his sister did not commit suicide, as the Tuscola officials announce McLurg says the woman had no reason for committing suicide; that all appear ances were against the theory and tha he believes she met with foul play.

Within Our Borders. The first case of spinal meningitis in Lansing this spring resulted fatally, the patient being Miss Alta B, Jeffries, aged

18 years. Gerrit Hagelskamp was drowned in

the Rubbic river at Hamilton. He was cugaged in getting logs down the river. Dr. William M. Edwards, superintend-out of the Michigan asylma for the in-same in Kalamuzoo, who has been ill

for some time, is dead. Homer Heath, one of Michigan's hest browl jumpers, has been maimed for life by the explosion of a flashlight cartridge. The powder blew off Heath's right hand:

He was taking a picture of a student The two prisoners, Alex Pond and Frank Kelly, who broke jail in St. Ig-mace, were captured by four deputies. They came into town after dark to get

some clithing and provisions and were caught at the home of the former. During the present fiscal year, which ads June 30. Insurance Commissione Barry has turned into the State Treasury \$422,024.78, of which over \$400,000 was derived from taxes on life and fire insurance companies doing business in the State. This sum is \$26,947.17 more than was collected during the previous fiscal year, and shows a fine increase in the amount of insurance premiums collected in the State. The large amount of taxes collected by the insurance department cost the State practically nothing for

Because they refused to comply with the recent order of the school board for compulsory vaccination, fifty students of the Kalamazoo liigh school have been sent lame, to remain there until they are vaced aced. Scores of pupils have also heen similarly treated at other schools.

A. B. Holt of Indianapolis, one of the A. B. Holt of Indianapolis, one of the natival heirs to the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Stockdale, the Plint woman who left her \$400,000 estate to Detroit and Buffalo christable institutions, has been chosen by the other relatives as their representative, it having been decided to contest the will. ed to contest the will.

Frank Polton and John Norton, two boys aged about 12 years, of Hath town-ship, have been arrested for bosting cot-tages on the shore of Park lake belong-ing to Lansing resorters. Dotton was no sooner behind the bars in St. Johns than be developed a case of dichters. solve agen arous 12 years, of Hath township, have been arrested for looting contages on the shore of Park lake belonging to Lansing resorters. Dolton was no somer behind the bars in St. Johns than he developed a case of diphtheria and drove the sherid and his family out, as well as the prisoners.

The prospects of a general strike in the lake copper district seem to be over. The owners have won all the 'small

atrikes. While blasting in the Kearsarge mine in Calumet Heary Ham was struck by a large rock and killed. He was 35 years old and leaves wife and family.

Agnes Ellarm, 4 years, died in Wake-field from poisoning in terrible convul-sions. It is supposed that the child ate poisoned meat meant to kill a dog.

Plotr Kazemieresak, who was born it Poland 114 years ago, is dead at his home in Detroit. He was a lifelong ab-stainer from toliacco and liquor and spent most of his life in the open air.

Anthony Kaminsky has been given judgment for \$2,000 against the Grand odge. Knights of the Modern Maccabees, in the Circuit Court in Detroit, for injuries which he alleged he sustained while being initiated into the organiza-

George Tubbs, aged 38, a wealthy farmer near Charlotte, was found guilty of murder in the first degree for shooting Drain Contractor John Bouts Nov. 20. The prisoner's father, aged 63, and his uncle, aged 65, are awaiting trial on the same charge.

Three persons were killed by lightning Arree persons were knied by induting in Michigan Thursday. At Hillsdale lightning struck a barn, killing Wyls. Swift and his son. Their bodies were consumed in the building. Charles A. Mather, aged 18, lost his life at Sturgis, n bolt striking the wire while he was placing an electric light bulb into a

George Taylor, aged 55, and giving Monroe as his home, was brought to jail in Adrian from Sylvania, Ohio, by Sher-iff Holt on the charge of stealing chickcus. Taylor is thought to be a member of the gang that has been robbing roosts in Lenawee county for the past year or payers do not live, except upon petition more, and taking their booty into the Toledo markets for disposal.

John S. Folkertsma, a furniture work-man, met a horrible death at the junc-tion of the Grand Trunk and Pere Marnuette roads in Grand Rapids. He fell under a Pere Marquette switch train, through which he was attempting to climb. The wheels crunched over his neck and right shoulder, severing the head from his body and tossing it be-tween the rails. Folkertsma, who was 19 years of age, was the principal source of income for an aged and crippled father and a family of eight children.

Crop conditions in this State are thus reviewed by the government's weekly re-port; Higher temperature and moderately well distributed showers forwarded ger-mination of early outs and barley and improved winter wheat and rye, meadows and pastures; soil still too cold for best germination; out, pea, barley and late po-tato planting well advanced in lower peninstila, sowing oats and spring wheat in upper peninsula; plowing for corn, beans, late potatoes and sugar beets progressing; heavy to killing frosts probably did no damage to fruit buds.

damage to fruit buds.

The jury in the conspiracy case against E. D. Conger, publisher of the Grand Rapids Herald, returned a verdier of not guilty. Mr. Conger was indicted on the charge of conspiracy with Lant K. Salsbury, ex-City Attorney, and others to obtain a contract, for bringing Lake Michigan water to the city by means of bribing the Mayor and members of the Common Council and Board of Public Works. It was claimed at the trial that Salsbury, who represented the promoters of the deal, paid Mr. Conger \$10,000 and promised him as much more.

Allan Sheldon, a well-known capitalist Alian Sheldon, a well-known capitalist

of Detroit, and former business partier of Zachariah Chandler, died after an illless of several weeks. He was 73 years of age, Mr. Sheldon was born in Kin-derhook, N. Y. For many years he was one of the most prominent men in the dry goods trade in the country. During Mr. Chandler's life and for some time afterward he also took a prominent part in national Republican politics. He is sur-vived by a widow and one son, Harry D. Sheldon, who married a daughter of United States Senator R. A. Alger.

The most disastrous fire in years occurred in Dundee at about noon Sunday, Agent Bidge of the Ann Arbor read, while building a fire at the station, by white obtaining a are at the station, 197-mistake threw gasoline instead of coal-oil into the stove. An explosion fol-lowed, hadly burning him about the face and hands, while the flames shot into the room and before the alarm could be turned in the building was in a blaze. Mr. Ridge managed to save his tickets and some of the records. A high west wind was raging, carrying the flames across the track to Frank Strong's grain ele yator, feed mill and conf yards, completely destroying the entire outfit. Box cars, standing on the siding filled with merchandles and the large water tank of the road were also burned. The loss to the railroad is over \$2,000, with no insurance. at the university hospital at Ann Arbor Strong's loss will reach \$15,000 or more, with \$2,000 insurance.

Two old letters written by Gen. Wil-llam Hull of the United States pring during the war of 1812, before the surrender of the post of Detroit, have con reage of the possession of C. M. Burton of Detroit, a collector of antique letters and documents. Although Mr. Burton de-clines to make the contents of the letters public for the present, they are said to contain preliminary offers from Gen. Hull to surrender the post. It has been supposed that Gen. Hull's surrender only followed Gon, Brock's show of force and demand for surrender. The letters were found in Toronto among a heap of an of Gen. Hull following the court martial of Gen. Hull following his surrender of Petroif it was intimated, Mr. Burton says, that such letters existed, but they were not produced. "After a reading of these letters," said Mr. Burton, "one can understand that Ang. 16 morning whe Brock confidently crossed the river and landed at Springwells and the raising of the white flag by Hull without making any fight."

Fred Mattson, employed by the Mass Consolidated Mining Company at Mass City, was kicked and killed by his horse which he was attempting to take home from pasture. Mattson was 28 years old. A wife and child survive him. Ex-Mayor Francis Jiroch of Muske

gon underwent a third surgical operation in Mercy hospital to prevent gaugrene. In two previous operations Jirech suffered his right leg to be amputated, but at this time he was forced to submit to the amputation of his left leg. Jiroch was scalded in a hot air bath a little ever a year ago and the wounds never a led. Teyman & Co. of Grand Raples are out \$60 in eash through a smooth money

and drove the sherid and his family out, as well as the prisoners.

Marcus (iraff, a tierman farmer three miles west of Newport, was found in his barn with a revolver in his right band ballet holes in his right side and forehead, Coroner Rupp of Monrie viewed the hody and declared it a case of smeller. His wife left him with five small children and he became despondent.

MICHIGAN SOLONS.

lills Signed by Governor Amending the school act of Jackson

Permitting Alpena to use \$50,000 of the proceeds of electric bonds for improvg water works.

Prohibiting the killing of capercail-

ile, black game or hazel grouse.

Pincing control of the Alpena electric light plant in the hands of the water Providing a poil tax of \$1 for each male inhabitant of the township of Farm-

lugton to maintain a township road sys Amending the charter of Hastings.

Prohibiting the carrying of nitrogly-erine on any train or boat carrying pasengers.
Dividing the township of Raisinville, Monroe county, into two election dis

tricts. Prohibiting any company from drag ging the Thornapple river in the village of Northville, Barry county, without the consent of the village authorities.

Repealing charter of the Grand Rapids Hydraulic Co. Hydraulic Co.

Providing a board of county road commissioners for Marquette county.

For the election of a highway commissioner for Hampton township, Bay coun-

Permitting the city of St. Clair to

grant electric light or gas franchises for thirty years, street lighting contracts to e limited to ten years. Providing that no sewers shall be built

Permitting the Common Council of Marine City to grant thirty year fran-chises to electric light and gas companies

and limiting public lighting contracts to ten years.
Making one school district of the city

Making one school district of the cuy of Marquette.
Amending the charter of Holland as to the election of school trustees.
Amending act as to powers and duties of the superintendent of public instruction so that he may visit all State instructions as harming and may recommend. tutions of learning and may recommend the removal of unit county school con-missioners and examiners. The superin-tendent is to report to the Governor the condition of institutions of learning and

o make recommendations.

Protecting ginseng growers and providing punishment up to five years' im-prisonment or \$5,000 fine for violation. Penalty for Delinquent Banks.

There has been another Senate argument over the Lord bill reducing the penalty on hanks for not filling their reports alty on banks for not filing their reports from \$100 to \$10 a day. Senator Brown moved to restore the amount to \$100. Senator Jones said that the amount was exorbitant and that the banking com-missioner would not enforce it at that figure. Brown retorted that this was no n matter in which the banking commis-sioner has the right to exercise any dis cretions. He was appointed to carry out the law as it exists. Senator Curtis, a barker, supported Lord's plan. Compro-mise amendments at \$25 and \$50 were voted down, and Brown's motion for \$100 was carried, 13 to 12. The bill was then tabled and the law will probably

Gordon's Pet Mensure Passed.

Representative John R. Gordon of Marquette has the satisfaction of getting through the House his rather notorious bill to prevent the manufacture, or having in possession, any nickel-in-the-slot machines. The bill pased the House on third reading, 58 to 11. Representative Hunt opposed the measure because he said it legislates out of existence a Desaid it legislates out of existence a De-troit industry that annually pays out \$150,000 in wages. The bill does not for-bid the playing of machines, as there is already a law covering that, but Hepro-sentative Gordon says by making "poa-session" of machines illegal, the sheriff of Wayne, or any other county, can con-fiscate them wherever they are found, whether or not they are in operation.

Look Up Present Laws. The futility of same of the legislation introduced was illustrated at a meeting of the Senate committee on education, which took up Senator Linsley's bill to prohibit owners of billiard rooms and clgar stores from permitting boys to frequent these places. Senator Martindale, in looking up the existing law, found that it overs everything in Linsley's bill. and the law simply needs to be enforced. Linsley thereupon gave up trying to push his measure.

The House in committee of the whole approved the following appropriation bills: Jackson prison, \$24,200: Upper Pe-ninsula Experiment station, \$9,000; Central Michigan Normal school, \$103 130 Upper Peninsula hospital for the insane, \$31,300; psychopathic ward at State university, \$14,000.

Reduce Sumber of Infantry Companies
The Simpson bill, reducing the number of infantry companies in the Michiga National Guard, and providing for the organization of cavulry and artillery companies, and engineer and signal corps, passed the House by a vote of 70 to 0, nd was given immediate effect.

Damages Exempt from Creditors.
The Senate has passed the House bill providing that damages awarded the gence shall not be subject to claims of creditors of the deceased. Ment Peddlers Need No License.

The Senate passed Senator Shelden's bill permitting peddlers of meat and fish to do business without a license. Sets Dangerous Precedent.

One of the "purely local bills," which slipped through the House Thursday is causing all kinds of discussion. It amends the city charter of Adrian so amenus the city may condemn land cutside the city for public purposes. The pro-vision is so broad that a condemnation board, composed entirely of city resi-dents, could condemn a man's farm anydents, could condemn a many and where in the county for a public park, a life for a pesthouse or a cemetery. The alte for a pesthouse or a cemetery. The precedent is a dangerous one to set for cities, it is claimed.

For Shorter Sessions

A joint resolution amending the State constitution so that the Legislature must not remain in session longer than 100 days was introduced by Representative McKay Thursday. There has been the same line of talk this year as always same line of talk this year as always regarding shorter sessions, and the problem that confronts the Legislature now is what to do with the local bills. There are ten local bills passed to one general act, and many are in favor of edopting the plan in vogue in Wisconsin and other States of conferring greater legislative powers upon boards of supervisors and councils of municipalities.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON FOR MAY 14, 1908.

Control of the state of the sta Jesus Prays for His Followers. John 17:15-20. Golden Text—I pray for them.—John

The paschal prayer of Jesus was offered in the upper room. About the time of sunset he and his disciples had gone thither to commemorate the Passover At the close of the paschal meal he had instituted the memorial which we know as the Lord's Supper. It was followed by a lynn in which doubtless the clear voice of Jesus led. Few contrasts are more vivid than the "death-sons" of praise and trust on his lips and the sorrows which he went out to meet. They lingered long in the upper room for it was the farewell of Jesus and he had many words of comfort and courage to speak to the disciples. It was probably past midnight when he offered a last lovjust a mining it when no onered a next lov-ing prayer for his followers. When it was fluished they went out in the moon-light, the moon was then at its full, to the garden of Gethsemane.

"Father." It is Jesus' distinctive word for God. The use of it is revela-tion alike of God and of the man whose

ips utter it.

A personal petition (verses 1-8). Jesus arrays first of all for himself. "Glorify A personal petition (verses 1-8). Jesus prays first of all for himself. "Glorify theo," thy Son, that the Son may slorify theo." The motive of all prayer is here. Prayer is not a device by which we further purely personal interests. We may be sure that if God is glorified our highest good is subserved. Throughout his entire life it was the aim of Jesus to glorify God by revealing him to men. Knowledge of God is "eternal life." Mere everlasting duration is not eternal life. It is a kind of life, not simply length of life. We "know" God when we have appreciation, response, likeness. And we appreciation, response, likeness. And we gain our knowledge of God from the character of Jesus.

Intercession.

Preservation (verses 9-16). "I pray for them." While Jesus was personally present with his disciples he guarded them from evil. But now he is to leave them and he commends them to the watcheare of God. "The Lord is thy keeper" (Psaim 121). Peter writes to Christians out of his own experiences and assures them they "are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation" (I Peter 1:5). We do not keep ourselves, we "are kept." We do not cling to God with a human clasp easily broken; he upholds us with omnipotent hand. Jesus wishes us kept in the world and not Intercession sus wishes us kept in the world and not outside of it. The place for the salt, and Christians are the preservative element of society, is not a dry and comfortable corner of the pantry but the meat bar-rel. By the "world" we are to under-stand not the planet earth, nor the busi-ness, domesticity, amusement found upon it, but rather the sum of the forces that lead us from God. We conquer the world not by scuttle but by consecration of all that is good, or is capable of good,

to divine uses. Sauctification (verses 17-19). This is the positive side, as preservation is the negative side. Sanctification is the pro-gressive attainment of a Christlike character. Complete, instant and final sanctification is the acme of shallowness and

tification is the aeme of shallowness and concelt.
Sanctification is attained through "truth." As the body grows by feeding on bread so the soul grows by feeding on truth. All truth brings illumination and nourishment to the mind but it is to moral truth that Jesus primarily refers. As he said in the wilderness, "Man lives by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." (Matt. 44.) The Bible is the pre-sminent repository of divine truth. As we truly study it we grow.

And why seek sanctification? "For their sakes." Culture is not an end in itself, it is an instrument of service. "Is there anything," asked Phillips Brooks, "in all the leachings that man has had from his fellow-man, all that has come down to him from the lips of God, that down to him from the lips of God, that is nobler, that is more far-reaching than that—to be my best not simply for my own aske, but for the sake of the world into which, setting my best, I shall make that world more complete, I shall do my little part to renew and to recreate it in the image of God?"

Linkt verses 2002. Leves proved for

in the image of God?"
Unity (verses 20:23). Jesus prayed for us. We have believed on him, trace back the spiritual succession, "through their word," "So long as I pray for you." said Garibaldi's mother to him, "no harm can befall you." What comfort and strength there is in the thought—"Jesus prayed for me." And the burden of his prayer for all believes through the area. prayer for all believers through the ages was their unity.

nental fact nity is the common possession of the spirit of Josus. All formal unity apart from that is an empty husk. But love, however various the modes of its expression, is the same everywhere. The history of our time shows that men of all creeds can unite in practical Christian service. Opinions are often divisive, it is work that unifies. Dogmas spun in human heads rend us apart, but the love of Jesus in human hearts unites us ev-

Is unity possible based on subscription to common creeds? Perhaps not, for men differ in temperament, in educamen diller in temperament, in educa-tion, and every one sees truth from his own hilltop. Astronomers have attained unity, but not on the basis of the Ptole-maic theory of the heavens. They have not needed an infallible tribunal to tell

not needed an infallible tribunal to tell them the sun shines. God's facts carry their own credentials.

How far organization ought to express the unity of Christians is at present a doubtful question. Unless there is unity in fundamentals a common organization is a snare. Tying a cat and a dog together does not conduct to harmonther them. gether does not conduce to harmony. Glory (verses 24-20). It is the wish of Jesus for us here and hereafter. To be Jesus for us nere and nerester. To be with him is a sufficient definition of heaven. The ministry of Jesus did not end on Calvary. "And will make it known" is pledge of an endless ministry. To-day also he is with us and for us.

Church and Clergy.

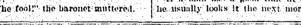
There were in 1900 in the German empire 35,181,104 Protestants and 20,231,-144 Roman Catholics. Besides these the census recorded 203,793 "other Caristians." 35,000 Old Catholics and 586,833

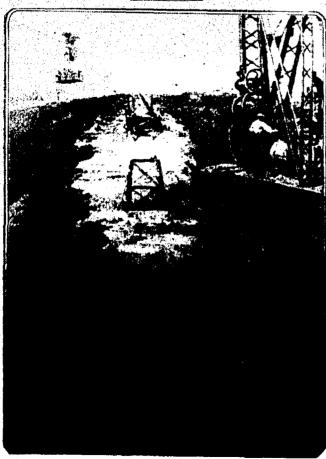
The Rev. Dr. Charles A. Crane of Boston, after careful inquiry, has come to the conclusion that there are about 140 different fads or kinds of religion in He church missionary to Malaysia, will shortly visit the United States. He will shortly visit the United States. He

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has first for years in the recesses of the Bornsean jungle.

The Archbishop of Canterbury is said to be ungaged in the fermation of a longue for the obliteration of the gallets Bunday from society. The association is to consist exclusively of materias in high life, and Ledy Winborne will be material.





The bridge which is being constructed across the Zambesi to carry been provided. It is capable of carrying tentons, and is worked by electricity. The illustration shows the construction of the piers on one of the banks of the river, with the aerial car at work

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 11.

The official crop report shows that cellent condition, with little or no damage from thawing and freezing. Rye also promises well and the condition of the meadows is good. The it is too early to tell what the outcome will be. The buds became so well developed in March that it is thought they will withstand any frost that may come. If the weather continues favorably there will be a large crop of all kinds of fruit. In answer to the question whether peach leaves are being aprayed for curl-leaf, 67 correspond ents answer yes, and 225 no.

According to figures published by the American Agriculturist the value count the first time. Keep everlastingly at it. of the farm crops of the country, at the farms, in 1904, \$3.578,000,000, while in 1896 it was only \$1,820,000. The re markable feature of this showing is that the production has increased in quantity very little in the past ten years so far as staple crops are concerned, except in the one item of cotton; yet the value has almost doubled in that time. This fact should cause many young men to stop and consider before leaving the farm to hunt work in the cities and towns, for the increase in the price of labor in the city has not been in the same proportion by any means as has been the increase in the price of farm prod-ucts. While the town and city have their advantages, the country can show fully as many or more and they are advantages which deserve the most favorable consideration.—State Republican.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw and Senator Allison of Iowa have consult ed with local interests, it is said, concerning tariff revisions, to be considered by a special session of congress in the fall. Senator Allison has conferred with representatives of various trades as to the effects of reduction in schedules affecting their products. He will return to Washington from time to time during the next two months ta meet other members of his senate tariff committee and of the house committee on ways and means Meanwhile members of the commit tees will consult interests in other cities and states to get a clear idea as to the best method of solving the questions involved. It is intimated that in order to make up the deficiency in revenues through the reduction of certain tariff schedules several of the least obnoxious of the interna revenue taxes imposed during the wa with Spain may be revived.

The New Idea Woman's Magazine for May contains a number of articles apropos to the ever recurrent spring wedding. Charlotte Millward writes on wedding gowns and gives it as her opinion that, although sentiment stil inclines many girls to the traditional white satin for their bridal dresses this material is not nearly so much in accord with the fashions and taste of the present day as the softer and newer creations in chiffon, lace, net, supple silks, crape de Chine or crape de Paris. An article by Francis Welsh-Britton takes up the etiquette of weddings, and details the proper forms, from the invitations to the rice show er. Wedding breakfast menus and recipes for home made wedding cake the letter: are given in the cooking columns, and Esperance Goodlove contributes an article on marriage as it appeals to the business woman, in which she concludes that "the girl who has had her liberty, who has fought her own battles and heartily enjoyed the fighting, none the less enjoys more deeply than she will, perhaps, admit, the womanly occupation of depending on

School Notes.

See Larry and Biddy.
See the game with West Branch,
Saturday, May 27th.
Mrs. Bradley was a visitor at the
high school, last Tuesday.
Among the Breakers, at the Opera
House, Friday, May 19th. Don't miss
it!

Don't miss seing Mother Cary, in Among the Breakers. Hear her pro-

phesy.

Henry Nolan has very kindly consented to assist the members in their makeups in Among the Breakers. This insures a good play.

When will the mystery be cleared? Friday, May 19th at the Grayling Opera House.

The many friends of Rev. Goldie will be pleased to learn that he will give the commencement address this year. The subject will be announced late.

Several students took the state examination for the eight grade, last week. The names of those passing will be published in the near future. Minnie Kraus, Iva Heeslop. Daisy Croteau, and Roy Comer of Frederic, were the only students in Crawford countly to earn 100 in arithmetic.

The following from the 5th grade room were not absent or tardy during the month of May: Augusta Kraus, Leelah Clarke, Signe Eilerson, Margarethe Bauman, Howard Bradley, H. Oaks, Johannes Jorgenson, Lorne Douglas, Margueritte Chamberlain, Clifford Hoyt, Adolp Peterson, Gerda Swenson, Jesse Sales.

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Can't You Lift a Little? Think It Over Carefully

"For nearly twenty centuries the great principles of Christianity have been promulgated in the world. Justice, Truth, Love, Mercy, Duty, Faith, wheat came through the winter in ex- Hope, Charity-all these grand and beautiful things have been held up before humanity, not only in the full force of their own magnificent power, but by the mouth of the world's most mighty eloquence, and the compelling force of the best lives humanity has been able to live-and while much has been reports on fruitare also good, although done and the race is better and men have progressed in all these things, yet God knows there is woful lack of them all in the world today. But no same man doubts their vitality or that the day is ahead when they will be the controlling forces of life.

The thought comes as encouragement in smaller matters. But this is not a discussion of why men move so slowly when the purpose before them seems so desirable. It is simply a passing acknowledgement of the fact.

Irritating, no doubt, to the minds of men who can see what should be done as compared with what is being done.

Illustrating, too, the fact that the "world do move," and that the only lever to keep it moving is to keep trying. If at first you don't succeed—don't

During the publication of these articles on the Future of Crawford county a number of our citizens, who are broadminded and public spirited enough to foresee the benefits that would accrue to every citizen of the county if a united and persistent effort were made to accomplish its settlement, have come in and expressed themselves ready and willing to help that effort along every way in their power.

It does not seem to be an occult or difficult proposition. Yet we do not get to work. It seems so simple when we come to analyze the situation. We have here opportunities that a large number of people are looking

We need here a large number of people to develop these resources. To bring to these people the facts with regard to our opportunities in the most direct and forceful manner is the problem.

It does not seem to be a difficult one to solve. And it must be solved. It is the duty of this community to solve it-in other words to PROGRESS.

A combination of effort is evidently the most practical and forceful nethod of going about this work. It is the work of all—one man or one group the best methods of getting and holdof men can do little more than urge its importance.

For several months the AVALANCHE has devoted from two to three columns of space to the work. To even set up the type to fill these columns means an expense in cash outlay of from \$1.75 to \$2.00 per column—to say nothing of the time and work involved in having the matter prepared and put members and all that sort of thing. It into readable shape. From these facts you can get some rough idea of what the paper is contributing to the cause of settlement and development of the

Mind you, the AVALANCHE is not "kicking." It feels that the work should be done and is trying to do its share. It feels certain it will have help in time-but it wants it as soon as possible. Then results will come.

Now think this thing over and see if you feel entirely easy in your mind to let this kind of thing run on much longer without taking a little turn at the and not flare up and kick over the wheel vourself.

Lift a little. It will do you more good than you think it will.

Let us have an organization for the purpose of pushing the development and settlement of Crawford county.

More Good Evidence From an Old Resident

NOTHER letter is given this week from an old Crawford county resident, Mr. C. W. West, well remembered here, whom circumstance, which he partiolly explains, made necessary to remove from the county, and who says he would like to be back here again. "Mr. West bears high testimony in favor of the main proposition-viz.

that Crawford county has all the requisite conditions for a successful and prosperous agricultural county-but he raises once more the old question of unsatisfactory market conditions.

There are some kinds of cats that never stay skinned, no matter how many ways you try it; they bob up serenely time and again. It seems to me that the market cat was properly skinned once and that it is not worth while to go through the process again.

"Anyway, Ms. West does not seem to me to make out a very serious case. He admits that he raised lots of stuff and sold it all, and that seems to be a sufficient answer of itself to his rather vaguely put objections. Here is

Union City, Mich., April 20, 1905.

EDITOR AVALANCHE:

We have been interested in all that has been published in the paper this winter and spring upon the subject of the settlement of Crawford County.

It is very natural in picturing one side of the question to forget that the other side may have some spots that may cast a different reflection when we look at them from a different standpoint.

Is it not possible, Mr. Editor, that we may desire its settlement and yet, unconsciously, through selfish interests, be placing impediments in the way of its accomplishment?

We have lived in Crawford county over twenty-two years and think we know some of the difficulties which lie in the way of the farmer. We came to Crawford county in 1880, commenced in the woods, and cleared the land, raised crops, cattle, hogs, hens, made butter, fed and sold all we could raise and make. Now comes tug of war. How did we do it? I could not sell corn, potatoes; or any other grain to any amount in Grayling to any of the business firms and get my money. I could sell and take trade from the store, but this did not always answer; and if perchance they did pay any money it was at five to ten per cent discount.

My butter sales would average \$25.00 per month the year round. This I sold invariably to consumers, packed in one and two gallon jars, and could sell in advance of the market by making the best

My hogs I would occasionally sell to butchers and drovers as opportunity presented. Most of my potatoes were sold to consumers; occasionally I would exchange for trade at the store. My cattle were handled and sold as I could, to drovers or butchers.

I handled nearly all my grain by grinding and feeding to my stock. I sold all I could raise, but this way of selling drove me to buy a large amount of stuff in other markets, away from home. I am aware this way was spoken against by business men at home, who wished to do all the selling of goods and ship them in, but that was "all talk for white man and none for poor Indian."

As time advances circumstances change; new sources open for the consuming of farm products and the farmer will stand a better chance as the county grows older.

I am aware, Mr. Editor, that logs were always salable, as you say. Anything that was 8x16, providing it was the right kind of timber, always found a ready market. But you know this is not the cultivated product of the soil, hence does not benefit the farmer in his occcupation.

Now I am interested in the settlement of Crawford county and

Now I am interested in the settlement of Crawford county and will do all I can to help the project along. Its land will compare favorably with any county in the state. Its soil is good, its air is healthy, its scenery is beautiful, and had I not burned out and my loss so heavy, and the loss of one of my family, and nearly losing my wife—as she has not seen a well day since—I should be living there now. Were we able to work as we did when there we would be back there in old Crawford county.

there in old Crawford county.

I have written these few lines just as I looked at the case in hand, and if this finds a place in the paper I may try my hand again

Very truly yours, C. W. WEST.



The Grange.

In spite of nasty weather pretty nearly all day, the grange meeting last Saturday was very well attended. The secretary passed around a big bunch of receipts for membership dues, which would look as if the members think they are getting value re

Of course the lecture hour programme and discussions were the principal features of the meeting.

Considerable time was devoted to the discussion of farm fences, and developed the fact that our grangers of Crawford county are beginning to put in some good fences. Various methods of putting up barb wire and the woven wire fences, length of life of various kinds of posts, and the details of the cost of fencing were quite fully gone into and the subject proved an interesting one.

There was a recitation that was well received and also a short paper on the uses of cement on the farm.

The most interesting discussion, however, occurred on the question of ing good members in the grange and strengthening the bonds of fraternal interest among the membership.

This brought out a good deal of pretty straight talk about disgruntled was good stuff, too, broadminded and liberal. And the general concensus of opinion was that the work of the grange in the community should be of such a character as to make its mem bers feel interested in it and willing always to overlook the little faults and foibles of brother and sister mem bers, and to learn to all pull together traces about some fancied personal

It was decided that the member who could not sink little personalities and minor unpleasant things in his willingness to make the crange a success linguess to make the grange a success was a member hardly worth chasing around with taffy on a stick to keep him or her on the inside walls.

The programme for the lecture hour at the next meeting will be the discussion of impromptu questions almost

The members are beginning to feel more than ever before that in our sparsely settled county there is a great big, useful work and a lot of it ahead of the local granges and the enthusiasm that greeted the suggestion that the grange get down to business and take up its share of the work of building up our county and helping along its farming interests in a prac tical way, as well as making the grange meetings social centers for the farmers and their wives, was real and hearty, and promises much for the future.

And it needs in this work the active help and co-operation of every wideawake farmer. It wants you all on the inside and then the combination work.

Don't fool yourself by believing you haven't time to give the grange meet ings two or three hours twice a month. It will bring better interest than any other investment you can make of so little time and money.

And now is the time to join. You need the grange and the grange needs you-so come in now.

By the way, why don't Maple For est grange make a noise now and then and let us know what they are

Next meeting, Saturday, May 20 Be on hand. Lunch at 12; open at 1.

H. B. Hellen of Chicago arrived in the village Tuesday, bringing, with him several men who had purchased land in Michigan Cetral Parkresort at Higgins Lake. A visit to the lake result ed in a trip to Grayling where a pur chase was made of sufficient material for the erection of four cottages and two barns, and Wednesday morning twelve wagon loads started for th lake. This is only the beginning for this season and the outlook for a large building boom at the various resorts is very bright. The future of this beautiful lake as a summer resort is assured. Both the Michigan Central and the Pere Marquette railway com panies are watching its development and as soon as there are accommodations sufficient to warrant the taking care of patrons, one or both of these companies will run a spur to the lake The Bay City and Saginaw resorts at the head of the lake are now con nected with the outside world by the long distance telephone, and the system will soon be extended, while a local line will be erected connecting the town and lake this spring.-Ros

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Local and Neighborhod News.

Fishing Tackle at Fournier's.

- F. S. Specials. J. W. Sorenson.
- F. S. Specials. J. W. Sorenson.
- Plenty of rain, but almost too cold.
- Ask for F. S. Specials. J. W. Sor
- The weather for the past three days has been—but words fail.
- Patronize the Mckay House—the best dollar a day house in Grayling.
- Get your pumps and waterworks fixed by Theon Deckrow at Metcalf's market.
- M. A. Bates has bought the store building of Dr. Woodworth on Michi gan avenue.
- Mrs. Lea Goulet started to join her husband in their new California home last Tuesday.
- J. V. Miller of Judges was in town this week. He reports outs coming up but too cold for much growth.
- Circuit court convenes next Mor day, with only four criminal cases and no civil cases on the calendar.
- Revival services are being held at the M. P. church, south of the river Everyone is earnestly invited to at
- Services will be held at the M. P church next Sunday at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.. Elders Cole and Shreader offici
- ating. The Lady Foresters will give an ice cream social at the G. A. R. hall on Wednesday, May 17, afternoon and
- N. P. Michelson has leased the Cer tral hotel to O. Milnes, who has taken possession and who will undoubtedly be a successful boniface.
- Chesaning parties are building a very pretty frame summer cottage, Reagan, c. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 30x30 feet, with kitchen and wide, roomy porches, near the Collen place
- at Portage Lake. William G. Woodfield came home from West Branch to play with the babies over Sunday. He has sold his business down there and will resume his old job on the railroad.
- House for Sale-A cozy home, fully rebuilt and in fine condition, corner o Lake and Norway street. Eight rooms a desirable location, will be sold right.
- Enquire of J. J. Collen. Edgar Wilkinson of Maple Forest was in town yesterday and claims to have received less than half the mon ey that was paid in for his benefit, after his loss by fire.
- Frayer meeting this (Thursday) evening at the Presbyterian church. Congregational meeting after prayer meeting. All members of the congregation are requested to be present.
- The Citizens' band gives a concert at the Frederic opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening and the citizens in for both clubs to secure the games, that end of the county have a pleas- and if the first one is a criterion they ant evening ahead of them. Many will get their money's worth. will go up from here.
- Joseph Lee, foreman on the Michelson ranch, was in town the first of the lord, Waters and other points, and so week. He reports the cattle, eight hundred head, all out on the range and doing well, though the feed is starting slowly on account of the cold
- Photograph gallery will be open every Saturday, Sunday and Monday of be helped. It probably deterred many each week, and we will show you a from going. full line of new sample card mounts. Come and see us if you want pictures and card mounts up to date.
- M. LAUR, Photographer. Mr. Louis Tower, a practical laun-
- dryman from Mecosta county, has bought the Grayling steam laundry of A. W. Dorland, and taken possession. Patrons of this plant can be assured of fine work and our citizens should support the home institution.
- Mrs. Joe Malanfant, nee Maude Robinson, joined her husband last week at Cheboygan, where he has a good position on the railroad, which his side gave out. has induced them to transfer their home to that city. The AVALANCHE will follow them with best wishes.
- Harry Johnson has gone into the dispatcher's office in Bay City, which the Dewarders guessing right away is a fine promotion and if permanent will soon lead to another. Our only regret is that it will take him and his wife from our village. He is succeeded by the night operator. Louis Ucb-
- In the matter of enacting laws to prohibit the use, sale or manufacture of cigarettes the Japs can give us points. In Japan they do the thing as easily as we make laws. Every father whose son smokes a cigarette is fined the equivalent of five dollars. The espionage of the youth, therefore, falls on the proper person and the five is sufficient to induce him to maintain a zeal in watching the youth, all of which may be good for the father, the son and the government in ways other than that of cigarette amoking.

Crawford Avalanche. Does This Mean Railroad?

TUESDAY MORNING Chief Surveyor Pratt of the Michigan Central 19 and 20.

Railroad Company, in company with local parties, started for a trip over the old Blodgett & Burns railroad grade, running from Grayling via Portage Lake and through Beaver Creek to Higgins Lake.

Nothing definite is known of the plans, but it is understood that the building of a road is under consideration.

THE CEMETERY ASSOCIATION.

- A THE meeting held at the court house Monday evening Supervisor
 J. J. Collen was chosen chairman and M. A. Bates secretary.
- tion, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:
- Whereas. It has been the almost universal experience of other towns and villages that such care and improvement are best obtained through a properly organized cemetery association, having that purpose alone in view; and that it is not given so long as the cemetery property is under municipal control, because of the fact that municipal officials are changed yearly and are too frequently men not particularly interested in this class of work or having no special knowl-
- In accordance with the above resolution the following committee was hosen: M. A. Bates, M. Hanson, Dr. W. M. Woodworth, J. J. Collen and J.

The committee will give the matter prompt consideration and it is now probable a meeting will be called for some evening early next week to act my business. Before moving I will

Base Ball.

May 7, at Frederic: GRAYLING-12; DEWARD-6.

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The Game.

- ing-Deward affair at Frederic was.
- Over a hundred lovers of the American game drove up from here; crowds came in from Deward, Gay-
- The only objectionable feature that might have been remedied was the
- The weather was cold and threaten ing in the morning, but that couldn't
- As it was the line of rigs that left town for the scene of action led many to believe that some prominent citizen
- Grayling was first at bat-and it may be said right here that they did a lot of poor work in this line, and very little that was good. But practice
- Sloane started in bravely and did high class work for three innings, but
- The Deward battery was a good one too, and did excellent work. Pitcher Bishop took the whole twelve without a murmur, and must have taken a lame arm home. But he never let off a whine and stood the work very
- Catcher Clement was in the same class. He held his own clear through. All the way the game was more or less hard work on account of the

- After a pretty thorough discussion of the matter of a cemetery associa
 - GRAYLING, MICH., May 8, 1905.
- Whereas, It is the sense of this meeting that some effective measures should be taken for the proper care and improvement of the
- edge of it; now, therefore, be it
- Resolved. That it is the further sense of this meeting that a ommittee of five citizens be elected here tonight, who shall formulate a plan of organization for such an association, and when ready to report call a meeting for further action.

came to them in good shape.

work was 'way up all 'round.

home grounds here.

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But if they carry anything off they'll

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[OFFICIAL.]

Meeting held May 8, 1905.

Himson & Co.'s office

Cullough, Hum and Olson

and President Bauman.

in the chair.

dent pro tem.

Motion carried.

Motton carried.

be accepted and adopted.

Motion prevailed.

Motion carried.

[Signed]

same.

GRAYLING, MICH., May 8, 1905.

Special meeting of the com-

President pro tem A. E. Michelson

Present-Trustees Michelson, Mc-

Absent-Trustee Brink, Connine

Meeting called to order by the pres-

Minutes of the preceding meeting

bers of the board of review be con-

Olson that the petition from John

Leece and others for waterworks be

Hum that the following resolution

Resolved, That all shade trees here-

J. F. Hum.

after set in the village of Grayling

Moved by Olson and supported

referred to Salling, Hanson & Co.

Grayling's champions last seasou.

- - The Score:
- Players. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11
- Hollin'n p2b0 Q 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
- Bond. 3b. 000100000 0 0 Burkhart, ss. 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 002400000 0 0 0 girl and give the boys all the encour-

TWELVE-INNING game is a pretty raw starter for the sea- Proceedings of the Common Council. son-but that is what the Gray-

- Frederic's public spirit bubbled up splendidly and provided all expenses
- there was a good attendance.
- roughness of the grounds.
- was having a funeral procession just
- for fun. But it was no funeral procession for Grayling-though their antagonists
- went under hard.
- will help.
- Hollihan then took his place, and say, but he's a left-hander from far shall be set eight feet from the stree up the rivulet. Old league style and line. more or less of a whirlwind. He had quick.
- structed to draw a new ordinance rel-Catcher Reagan, considering that he had never taken a ball from either ative to sidewalks and crosswalks. pitcher, was excellent. Then the change from a right to a left man Hum that the bill of William McCul would have been an excuse—but he lough of \$12.00 for team work be aldon't need any. He stood for the enlowed and an order drawn for the tire twelve very creditably. He's all right.
 - Motion carried. Olson that the committee on fire apparatus and lighting be instructed to move two fire alarm poles on Ottawa street, west of Cedar street. Motion carried.
 - Moved and supported that the coun Motion prevailed. C, O. McCurrough, Acting Village Clerk.

Village Board of Review.

- The Board of Review for the village of Grayling will be in session at the town hall, Friday and Saturday, May
 - J. J. COLLEN,

Assessor.

Firemen's Meeting.

- The members of the Fire Depart ment will meet at the town hall, Friday evening, May 12, for the election of officers. Prompt attention is de
 - BY ORDER OF CHIEF.

A Box of Money.

- Bear in mind that we give you a key to our Box of Money for ever dollar's worth of goods you buy or pay on ac
 - FOURNIER'S DRUG STORE.

Terrific Race with Death. "Death was fast approaching," writes Raiph F. Fernandez, of Tampa Fla., describing his fearful race with death, ,,as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and to-day I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at Fournier's Drug Store. Price Soc.

Notice.

- necessitates a change of location fo sell at greatly reduced prices all hats ribbons, silks, velvets and everything in my line.
- Next week we will have a counter The fielders on both sides had no where great bargains in trimmed hats great opportunities, but did what will be found. Come and be con-Shortstop Burkhart of the Dewardvinced.
 - MRS. J. WOODWORTH.

Saved by Dynamite.

in. The long waits for a run between the fifth and eighth, and then on till the twelfth, kept the interest up.

In fact, there was no lack of interest all the way and the Grayling fellows knew there was another ball club on the ground all the time.

Of course they were good and jolly over the run of six in the twelfth.

However, they feel very confident of the series.

There is another series on with Waters—dates later—also to be played at Frederic on the same proposition of all expenses paid by the village for

- of all expenses paid by the village for The M. C. R. R. will give rates for the May Musical Festival, Saginaw. On Friday (tomorrow) the Grayling crowd go against Cheboygan on the Mich., May 22-23, 1905, one fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip. Date of sale, May 22 and 23; return It will probably be one of the games worth going to see-for it said the
 - L. HERRICK, Agent.

A Creeping Death. Blood poison creeps up toward the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning, Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound and saved his live. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c, at Fournier's Drug Store. look at this game. Bring. your best

Seven Houses For Sale.

Seven houses for sale on easy terms For size of houses, and terms to suit purchaser apply to Mrs. Sarah McKay, Grayling. Mich.

Cleared for Action.

non council convened at Salling, When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks, the brightness of the eyes, the firmness of the flesh and muscles, the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At Fournier's Drug Store, 25c.

Climatic Cures.

- The influence of climatic conditious Minutes of the preceding meeting in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient and the rich patient, too, can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of bert Taylor and John Leece as members of the board of review be consumption. man Syrup, so is a good nights rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating, night sweat. Restless nights and the exhaustion due Moved by Hum and supported by to coughing, the greatest danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly. Should you be able to go to a warmer clime, you will find that of the thousands of consumptives there the face that of Moved by Olson and supported by consumptives there the few that are benefited and regain strenght are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottles 25c, regular size 75c. Fourniers Drug
- The Michigan Ceutral Railroad Co have made a reduced rate to Detroit R. Kroman. for May 22 and 23, return May 25, or Moved by Hum and supported by account of the meeting of the Grand Olson that the village attorney be in- lodge of F. and A. M. For particulars enquire of

Moved by Hum and supported by The Great Michigan Central Route

WITH

- Its Magnificent Scenery, Grand Con-necting Lines and Elegant Equip-ment, will sell special one-way Colon-ist Tickets from now until May 15, as From Chicago or from Mackinan
- City, for \$33.00 to California points and the Great West and Northweat.

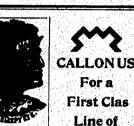
 Stop-over tickets can be obtained.
 For particulars call on any ticket accounts.

Fifty Yours the Standard



tartar derived from grapes.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.



FANCY GROCERIES,

- Flour, Lard, Salt and smoked Meats. The Royal Tiger Brand a specialty.
- Connine & Co.

The Grayling Market Garden.

John H. Cook, Prop'r. Will be ready for business this spring. Your orders respectfully solicited.

Real Estate

For Sale:

- 120 ACRE FARM on section 17. T. 26 N. R. 3 W. A large barn, full base-ment, 50 acres seeded and all under
- 40 ACRES on section 6, T. 26 N. R. 3 W., all fenced, seven acres in clover,
- 80 ACRES on section 14, T. 26 N. R. 4 W. Enough tamarac wood on it to pay twice. No improvements, \$200.00 FIVE ROOM HOUSE on Lake str. east; small barn and two lots; all right for \$400.00.
- 40 ACRES on east side of sec. 6. T. 27 N. R. 3 W. Timber practically all cut, no improvements, \$100.00.
- FINE BUILDING LOT on Elm str. in Hadley's first addition for \$50.00.
- FOUR of the most desirable lots on the south side, so by 165 feet, at less than value. THE RASMUSSON FARM, one half mile from Crayling, down theriver, for sale or rent. Large frame house and good barn, first class land. A rare chance.
- TWO LOTS on Michigan Avenue with a good barn. One of the finest sites in the village. Only four blocks from the court house.
- FORTY ACRES—The NW4 of SW4 sec. 32, T. 26 N. R. 3 W. Eight acres cleared, and the foundation of a first
- class grass farm. Cheap.

If you want a farm or home, come O. PALMER.

Probate Notice.

Order for Publication.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Crawford. **\$\$\$\$\$\$**

- Probate Office in the village of Grayling, in said county, on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1905, session of said court held at the Present, Hon. Wellington Batter-
- Judge of Probate. R. Kroman.
 Christopher Hanson, having filed in said court hisfinal administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue
- It is ordered that the 25th day of May, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forencon, at said Probate Office be and
- Sunny West
 Sunny West paper published and circulating in said

WELLINGTON BATTERSON, apr 27-4w Judge of Probate.

NOTICE.

E. H. SORENSON.



H0siery For Ladies

A fine line of "Black Cat" Hosiery for Ladies' and Children received. We are sole agents for Grayling.



Grayling Mercantile Co. The People's Store.

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Druge.

Patent Medicines.

CENTRAL DRUG STORE

N. P. OLSON, Prop'r.

Attention, Ye Fishermen!

That we carry a full line of Fishing Tackle,

(Besides numerous other things which you may need when you go fishing.)

Bring us your Family Receips. Prescription Work a Specialty. J. A. MORRISON, Manager.

Candy.

Cigars.

40 ACRES Beech and Maple on sec. 6, T. 27 N. R. 3. Timber alone is worth the price. Six miles from Grayling and only two from Frederic, \$400.00. Don't Neglect!

Gents-When you want a new Spring Suit, see the new up-todate styles. The latest designs in home manufactures and the finest imported goods on hand. Also the newest weares and fabrics for

Ladies' High Classed Tailored Suits, on view at 'Mahon's' Tailoring Establishment, Goupil Building, Opposite McKay's Hotel



Only One Key Will Fit It!

How much is in it? This box of money will be GIVEN AWAY FREE to one of our customers. One key given with every \$1.00 cash purchase, or paid on account.

Fournier's Drug Store,

The Old Reliable.

Have you decided? If so, which?

PRICES FROM 30c TO \$1.60 PER YARD.

Body Brussels, Ingrains, Axminsters, Tapestry Brussels, Granite or Velvet? We have them all, and at right prices. Investigate.

Sorenson's Furniture Store,



Famous Naval Hero of Our Revolu tionary Struggle to Be Honored with a Monument-His Historic Fight with the Beranis.

The body of Paul Jones, the famous admiral of the American revolution, buried in the old St. Louis cemetery in Paris more than a hundred years ago, has been found, after a search lasting for five years.

Paul Jones died in poverty and neg-



JOHN PAUL JONES.

lect in Paris on July 18, 1702. All record of his burial place was lost years General Horace Porter, the American ambassador, began a search for the body five years ago. After many false clews it seemed certain that the famous admiral had been buried in the old cemetery of St. Louis, a square of ground long since covered with buildings.

General Porter employed a Inrge cross tunneled beneath the basements of the buildings. The body was found heard, were disregarded.

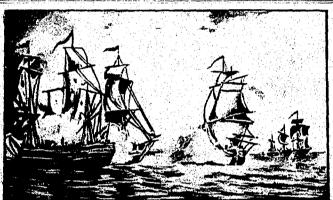
to be well preserved owing to its be By this time both the Richard and to be well preserved, owing to its be-ing immersed in alcohol. It was wrap-

BODY OF PAUL JONES. [raided the British consts. took price in St. George's changel and effected a landing at Whitehaven. By 1779 he had a fleet of five vessels under himfour of them having been given to him by the King of France. The other vessel was the American built Alliance. His erew was a motley crowd of Americans and French, with little experience of the sen and animated in large part by a spirit of reckless daring and love of adventure.

Fight with the Scrapis. His alm still was the capture of English vessels, and it was while cruising n quest of such prizes that he fought his memorable battle with the Berapis On September 23 he sighted a fleet of convoy of the Scrapis and the Countess of Scarborough. Most of the merchantnen ran toward the shore, anchoring under the guns of Scarborough castle. At 7 o'clock in the evening Jones' flagship, the Bon Home Richard, engaged the Berapis and there followed one of annons of the Richard exploded, oursting the deck above and killing and wounding a number of men. In spite of this the Richard began a heavy cannonade, which was answered by the Scrapis. This was maintained for in hour, and then Jones with his own hands assisted in lashing the two ves sels together, so that the Serapla could not escape, nor take advantage of her superior maneuvering power. Prior to this when Jones had been repelled in an attempt to board the Serapis the English commander, Capt. Pearson, called out, "Have you struck your col-"I haven't begun to fight yet,"

Jones shouted back. While the two vessels lushed to-gether, were in their death duel, both rews fighting flercely for victory, an mexpected diversion occurred and one which nearly proved fatal to the American vessel. The Alliance had American vessel. The Alliance had come up, and after exchanging a broadside with the Countess of Scarborough she opened tire on the two essels struggling together. Whether through treachery, or in the confusion of the battle in the dark, her guns dld much more damage to the than to the Scrapls; and when Jones force of workmen and tunneled and halled her captain and bade him lay abourd the British ship, his orders, if

the Scrapis were terribly shattered.



FIGHT BETWEEN THE BON HOMME RICHARD AND THE SERAPIS

and hay. All present were immediately struck by the resemblance of the to that on the medallons and busts of the admiral. As was anticipated, no uniform, decoration, or sword was found, as all such articles had been accounted for after the

The search in the abandoned come Mery of St. Louis, in Paris, for the review of bringing them to this country for final sepulture, and the proposal to erect a monument to him in Washington, serve to renew interest in this distinguished and early naval hero of our Revolutionary struggle

John Paul, who afterward added staking and helpless. Jones to his name, was the son of a



Scottish gardener, and was born in the adventurous life suiting his tem perament. Before he was 20 he had served as mate on two vessels engaged in the sinve trade, but the business to England, Several other voyages of of his brother in Virginia called him in broken health. There he died in

American navy began. In that year Congress decided to equip a navy Jones was commissioned first lieuten- imission reached France. ant of the Alfred. For some time he cruised about as a sort of event free lance, capturing whatever English ves France in the Ranger and was com-amissioned by the American agents. Both seem to have passed out anissioned by the American agents at fraris "to distress the enemies of the United States by land or by sea." He mental than useful.

ped in a sheet, with a packing of straw | The former's side, near the stern, had been shot through and through until the upper deck had almost fallen in upon the gun deck. The Scrapls had been set on the in a dozen places by grenades and cannon balls. Just as the

noon rose, at 9:30, the Richard, too. caught fire. A cry arose that she was In the hold were a hundred English risoners, the crews of captured mer-

chantmen. Some of the sailors set them loose, to give them a chance for their lives. They rushed on deck, and added to a confusion already almost indescribable. One of them made his way aboard the Scrapis, and told Capt. Pearson that his enemy was British Flag Comes Down, At the same moment the Richard's

none of his superlor officers, he supposed them all killed, and sprang on the poop deck to haul down the ship's heard, and shouted back an inquiry whether the Richard had surrendered. lones ran forward with a thundering

Then the Serapis' mainmast came rashing down, and her captain struck ils than. The thring ceased, but the confusion continued. Men can about in quiring which ressel had surrendered Both of them had been shattered to helplessness. It had been a question of dogged endurance between their commaiders, and Jones had won.

It was now clear that the Bon Iomme Richard was sluking. Her aptain ordered what remained of his new to go on board the Serapis Scarcely had the Richard been about oned when, at 10 o'clock, she settled lown and went to the bottom of the North Sea. The captured Scrapis driftal about almost helpless for severa lays, until on October 6, with the help of his consorts, Jones got her into the Dutch port of Texel.

For his conduct in this action Capt Pearson was knighted by King Georgo Well," said Jones, when he heard of t. "he deserves it; and if I ever mee im again. I'll make a lord of him!" For this feat Congress gave Jones o gold medal, and Louis XVI, made him chevaller of France and presented him with a gold sword.

Jones saw no further service in the American navy. In 1788 he entered the Russian service, with the rank of rear admiral, and distinguished himself to a campaign against the Turks was distasteful to him and he returned Disappointed in the hope of obtaining an independent command, he soon lef cupied him until 1773 when the death the Russian service and went to Paris, to this country to settle the estate. It poverty in 1792. Just before his death was then he assumed the name Jones. the appointment as commissioner and In 1775 Jones' connection with the consul of the United States to Alglers was sent to him from this country, but he had passed away before the com-

> There was a time when every west ern man had a buffalo robe and a mos

A pretty girl is usually more orna

ENRICHED DRAMATIC AKT.

Helena Modjeska Appears for the Last

In New York the other night Reicus Modjeska, admired and beloved by the play-goers of three generations, heard for the last thise the plaudits of an assemblage. She made her farewell appearance and left at the close of her beautiful country home, The Forest of Arden near Los Augeles, Cal., never igain to appear at the footlights.

The career thus ended is one which the highest honors of dramatic art have been given. Both America and Europe have united to pay homage to Modjeska's genins and respect to the unbroken dignity of her private forty British merchantmen under the life. Advancing years have not robbed her of the personal charm by which her audiences were enslaved or the sweet grace which they worshiped. At ber last appearance, during the tour of Europe two years ago, crowded houses unanimously declared her to be among the great ones of the stage, and the flercest naval conflicts ever record- sho was last seen in the United States, ed. At the beginning of the action two three and one-half years ago, the de-



BELENA MODIFARA

votion showered inon her was as warm as when her star was at its zenith.

Modjeska's world-wide reputation as dramatic artist rests, first of all, on her wonderful versatility. In the most racking tragedles, in the merriest com edies, she was equally mistress of the stage. Her extensive repertory in-cludes characters that strike every note in the gamut of human emotion, but she never failed to realize a just and impeccable estimate of each, while the indearing sentiment and poetry which was one of her greatest endowments ilways gave a warm glow of sincerity to the completed picture.

Whatever she touched she enriched. And, greatest marvel of all, most of work of high artistic merit has been done in a language which she did not learn until her 32d year, and which she never succeeded in speaking without some trace of the accents of her mother tongue.

*************** DISCOURAGING A HEN.

The propensity of some news to sit, n season or out, on eggs, stones, doorcrobs or anything that comes handy, s one of the most grievous afflictions f the poultry keeper. In his interest is reprinted the description of a "sure cure" discovered by a correspondent of the Chicago Chronicle, in Lesneur, Minn_

The cure consists of a cheap watch that ticks loudly and clearly, and is enclosed in a white, egg-shaped case, When a hen manifests a desire to sit at the wrong time, the cently places under her this bugus egg. and the egg does the rest.

Cheerfully it ticks away. The ben soon begins to show signs of uneasiness. She stirs the noise egg with her bill, thinking perhaps that it is already time for it to hatch, and the chicken in it wants to get out. She grows more and more nervous as the noise keeps on, and finally she jumps off the nest and runs round a while, to get cool, Generally she returns to her selfchief gunner ran from below. Seeing imposed duty; but things get worse and worse with her. She wriggles about and cackles, ruffles her feathers and looks wild, until at last, with a frencolors. They had been shot away. He zied squawk, she abandons the nest elled for quarter. Capt. Pearson for good and all. The fever of incubation is broken up completely.

The Lesneur poultryman declares that he has pever found a hen that ould stand the strain of the conversational egg for more than three hours In much less time than that, as a rule the hen is ready to return to her legitimate business.

Japanese Imitate Huch.

In the organization of their army the Japanese copied the German system, and in the navy the English and American. In their code of laws they imi tated La Code Napoleon, and after word the German principle and method. In flance they copied the American system by adopting our gold, s ver, nickel, and copper money, and they went so far as to copy the green backs from us. Their first paper money was made and printed in New York in 1870. If you will take up those old Japanese greenbacks you wil find them exactly the same as the American, with no difference, except in the writing.

A Born Scapegrace.
A good mother naturally wishes to

children. Mrs. Babson, quoted by the Louisville Courier-Journal, said to hea "Now, Tommy, I want to be good

while I am out "I'll be good for a nickel," was Tom

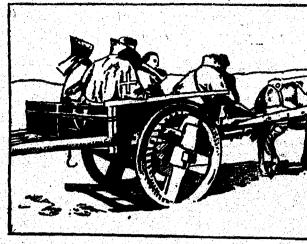
"Tommy," said the mother, "I want son of mine unless you are good for nothing."

Another Railway Navy Head. The new first lord of the British admiralty, Earl Cawdor, has been a railroad man for over 10 years, so that Mr. Roosevelt's appointment of Paul Lorton as Secretary of the Navy gets sort of British indersement.

One of a Limited Number. "What is there remarkable about

the woman? "Why, she keeps a German boarding house and never-married that man Moch."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MANCHURIAN CART AS AN AMBULANCE.

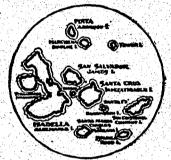


As may be seen from the sketch, the conveniences for transporting the wounded on some of the Manchurian battlefields have not always been everything that could be desired. Owing to the rapid movements of the forces it sometimes happened that the ambulance corps was left for in the rear, and it was necessary for the Red Cross workers to impress into service some of the rough Manchurian carts, which are innocent of springs and afford about as crude a means of locomotion as has ever been devised by the hand of man. They are at best only the most indifferent makeshifts and were used only when there was absolutely nothing else available.

NEW NAVAL STATION

Galapagos Islands to Be Impertan Pacific Base for Uncte Sam.

The persistent rumor that the United States government has decided to purchase the Galapagos islands has recently derived additional strength from certain semi-official admissions made at Washington. The probability of such action on the part of the gov ernment is demonstrated still furthe by the announcement that diplomatic negotiations of importance are in progress between the Washington author itles and Ecuador, the owner of the property in question. Since the acquisition of the Panama canni by the United States the islands seem to be nec-



MAP OF THE GALAPAGOS GROUP.

essary as a base for naval safeguard

The Galapagos group lies about 600: never made but one attempt to onize it, and that was a dismai failure. About sixty-five years ago a penal colony of 200 convicts, all negroes, was established on one of the islands but in the course of time all of these unwilling settlers managed to return to the mainland. Since then the isl ands have been practically described,

scendants from cats which have es caped from ships that have stopped at the island. They live in crevices between the lava masses near the shore and subsist on crabs and fish. Other nnimals derived from domestic progenitors are numerous.

TOOK A LONG DAILY WALK

Steps 5,200 Miles in Year. On Jan. 1, 1903, I conceived the idea of walking 5,000 miles before the expiration of the year. The object was accomplish any conspicuous performance. The underlying motive was, rather, to insure a plan by which regu-lar and systematic exercise could be with. obtained.

To travel this distance it was neces sary to cover an average of fourteen miles a day. Now, fourteen miles for a day's walk is well within the comuss of the ordinary man. But an oc-asional walk of this length is one thing; the sustained effort, day after, day through the year, is another. Let me answer the question by say

ng that at the end of the year I completed a distance on foot of 5,205 miles, or a daily average of fourteen and one-fourth miles. The stipulated 5,000 miles were finished on Dec. 16, but an additional 200 miles were cover ed in order that each of the fifty-two eeks of the year might claim on average distance traversed of 100 miles.

I set upon my enterprise with the knowledge that it was incumbent upon miles west of Echador, and it is of no me to maintain a daily average of actual value to that republic. She has fourteen miles, and I made it a rule, when practicable, of keeping above the average, so as to have something in hand to meet the emergencies which vere almost certain to arise. they did arise was shown by the fact that for fifteen days in the year, owing to sickness, lameness and railway traveling, no walking whatever could be indulged in. The limbility to utilize



SCENE ON CHATHAM ISLAND.

except Chatham, the property of Senor these fifteen days was equal to a loss Cobos, who has established a plantation there and peopled it with Gunya-

If the Galapagos were inhabited they would become the stopping place for teen miles a day in order to preserve all the vessels plying between North the average. and South American ports. They lie about ninety miles on either side of the equator and consist of eleven, goodsized islands and a host of unimportant satellites. They are of unmistakable volcanic origin. All of the islands are barren along

their coast line, the landscape showing only a waste of shattered masses of inva. In the wet senson, however, they do not appear to be so infertile when viewed from the sea. The lava is half hidden by masses of verdure which on closer inspection proves to be a variety of cactus which flourishe see her own traits reproduced in her during the rainy season and then with ore and turns black. Toward the in terior the prospect grows quite differ ent. Ascending from the coast to an elevation of from 800 to 1,000 feet, one enters a region of the most luxuriant vegetation. In the craters of the exsoil is extremely rich, and all forms of you to remember that you cannot be a tropical plant life are developed rapid-Numerous springs are found in these basins, and showers are fre-

> that the name of the group was de-Single specimens creature frequently weigh 400 pounds

> and over. Chathum Island, one of the group which has been most frequently ex-plored, now the scene of Senor Cobos' bacienda, is populated by thousands of

of over 200 miles. It will, therefore, be seen that, under the circumstances named, it was imperative on many or cusions to exceed the distance of four-

At the beginning of my walk my weight was 162 pounds in street clothes, while at the end of it my weight was 178 pounds. This loss of fourteen pounds was in every way ne-The avairdingly lost ceptable. only rehundant weight and I felt, as of the blood. Dr. Williams Pink Pills a result, more active, stronger and on the blood. Dr. Williams Phis Phis harder. In the matter of health I blood and the pain disappears permanents. felt decidedly better than I had done nently. Women in particular have found for several years.-Outing.

Emulate Count Poisto Not long ugo the Vienna newspapers were speaking of a Himgarian doctor of philosophy who had become pene-trated with Tolston's ideas and had apprenticed himself to a Rudapost boomaker says the New York World low a Bulgarian doctor of philosophy, Lubekoff, who has passed his examiations at the University of Sofia ande," and was engaged as professor of Latin, has become a bootblack at street corner in Solia. His customers ome because they wish to have their poots polished by a doctor,

The Galapagos archipelago is the labitat of the most gigantic species of land fortoise known to naturalists. It was from this animal—the galipago—that the happiness which it brings. He has statement of some person who was cured actually succeeded in founding several of a like trouble by The Williams and the lappiness which is statement of some person who was cured that the name of the most property was a cured and the lappiness of the most property was cured and the lappiness which is brings. He has statement of some person who was cured that the name of the most property was a series my head."

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The man who talks loud in using a elephone, disturbs every one in the better that I kept on until I became enoffice, but the man who talks low also disturbs them because they try to hear -and can't.

It is never safe to judge a woman's domestic cars, all of them perfectly courage by the way she manages to black. It is believed that they are de-avoid an interview with a mouse.

Criminals Better Formed Dr. J. Marty, a Freuch criminologist, has recently made an examination of 4,000 delinquent soldiers of the French army, and has found that in weight weight, breast measure, muscular power and general condition they averaged much better than the well-be haved soldiers. Dr. Marty does not imply that crimbials are by nature better physically than non-eriminals, but suggests that the condition of criminal families is so much more wretched

Marriage in Spain.

uncommonly strong survive.

ban respectable ones that only the

In Spain a bride has no girl attend-ants to stand at the altar with her, but instead a "madrina," or godmother. Neither does she have a wedding cake or any festive departure after the ceremony. The wedded pair go quietly to their new home, where they emain until the following day, when they start on their honeymoon fore leaving they pay a formal visit o their respective relatives.

A Tale of Suffering.

A Tate of Suffering.
Oakley, Mich., May S.—(Special.)—"I could not sleep or rost in any place" says Florence Capen of this place in a recent interview, "I had a pain in my back and hips. If I sat down I could not get up out of my chair. I was in pain all the time. I got poor for I did not eat enough to keep a small child. I could not rest nights.

"Then I sent for a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and went to taking them and what do you think that very night I went to bed and I slept till morning. I got up and thanked God for the night's rest and Dodd's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed for them."

that is claimed for them."

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NO MORE HEADACHE

DISAPPEAR TOO.

How a Woman Was Freed from Tron That Had Made Life Wrotched for Many Years.

The immediate causes of headaches vary, but most of them come from poor or poisoned blood. In amenia the blood is scanty or thin; the nerves are imperfeetly nourished and pain is the way in which they express their weakness. In colds the blood absorbs poison from the mucous surfaces, and the poison irritates the nerves and produces pain. In rheumatism, malaria and the grip, the poiso in the blood produces like discomfort. In indigestion the gases from the impure matter kept in the system affect the blood in the same way.

The ordinary headache-cures at best give only temporary relief. They denden the pain but do not drive the poison out on the contrary theroughly renew the these pills an unfailing relief in headiches'caused by autemia.
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Williams' Pink Pills did man great deal of good. I had headache nearly all the time. After I had taken three boxes of these pills I became entirely well."
"How long had you suffered?" she

"For several years. I can't tell the exact date when my illness began for it came on by slow degrees. I had been going down hill for many years." Did you have any other ailments?"

ras asked.

"I was very weak and sometimes I had fover. My liver and kidneys were affected as well as my head.

Pills. My physician hadn't done me any good, so I bought a box of these pills After I had taken one box I felt so much

tirely well." Miss Blocker's home is at Leander, Louisiana. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists. Besides beadache they care neuralgia, sciatica, nervous prostration, partial paralysis and rhos-



"Their engagement was quite a sur-

prise, wasn't it?" Town Topics. "Yes-to him."-"And how is Jack looking since he married for lovey" "A good deal like

-Judge. "I notice you never wear a watch with your evening clothen." "No; I nover have both out at the same

a cat that is owned by a vegetarian."

time."-Cornell Widow Johnny's Friend-I hear Johnny is learning to play the French horn. Johnny's Roommate-Yes, I've had

wind of it.—Harvard Lampoon. "You haven't much of a head," said the needle to the pin. "No," replied the latter, "but at the same tim pins have our line points."-Cleveland

Plain Dealer. Nell-Of course she's not pretty, but it's remarkable how her face lights up when she talks. Belle-Ob, that's not so remarkable. She's got a lantern jaw.-Philadelphia Ledger.

First Society Woman-That's my baby that we just passed. Second 8 clety Woman-How could you tell? First Society Woman-I recognized the nurse.—Brooklyn Eagle. Teacher-How many command-

ments are there Tommy-Not any. Teacher-Why, Tommy! There are ten. Tommy—Aw, dem was all broke long ago.—Cleveland Leader. "Smoothleigh is certainly the polit-

est man I know. "What makes you so positive?" "He's pretending he's cured of his dyspepsia so as not to hurt his doctor's feelings."-Town Topics. "Well, Doctors Brown and Smith are going to operate upon old Gotrox." "Is

the operation necessary?" "Why, yes; Brown has a note coming due, and Smith wants on automobile."-Puck. "Harold!" began his wife in a furlous temper, "my mind is made up—"
"Mercy!" interrupted her husband; "is that so? I had hoped that your mind,

Friend—You must enjoy your new position. So much honor, dignity and prestige! University Presidentbut I won't get so much money as the head coach of the football Somerville Journal.

"Can you support my daughter in the style to which she has been accus-tomed?" "Perhaps not. But I can support her in the style to which her mother was accustomed during her early married life."-Life.

Jaspur-I think I have reason to believe that last poem of mine is a classic. Jumpuppe-Why so? Jasper —I find that all my friends have either seen it or heard of it, but none of them has read it.—Exchange. The Preacher-1 was surprised to

ee your husband get up and walk out of church while I was preaching. The -Oh, don't think anything of that! You know he's troubled with omnambulism!—Yonkers Statesman, "I see, Josiah, that somebody has

found out that college life decreases the desire of girls to marry." "I'll bet the trouble is. Nancy, that it decreases the desire of the young fellows to marry 'em."—Cleveland Plain Dealer. "Are you going to entertain this winter?" "Well," answered Mr. Cumox. "mother and the girls will have a

ot of people at the house, as usual, But I never can tell whether they are being entermined or bored."-Exchange Modern Mother-Why, child alive, what are you taking off that dolly's clothes for? Modern Child-I'm going to 'zamine her to see if she's been vaccinated. I can't have 'er spreadin'

tagion among my other dollies.-Baltimore American. Judge-You are charged with beating your wife every morning before breakfast. What have you to say for yourself? Prisoner—Well, you see, Judge, that's my best time, as I have to run for a car as soon as breakfast is over."-Exchange.

"I half believe that the ton in the Kissmore's closet." shouldn't wonder. One day whon Kissinore took me home with him un-expectedly to dinner, I thought I heard t throwing things at him out in the kitchen."—Exchange. Squire's Daughter (to gardener's

wife, who suffers from chronic theumatism)-Have you ever tried Swedish massage, Mrs. Brown? Mrs. Brown -1 have heard say it be very good for the rheumatics, miss; but we don't grow it in these parts.-Punch. Customer-How is it that the price f a peck of potatoes remains twenty cents so far in the season? I'd think

the price would become larger as the season advanced. Grocer-It would, madam, only it's so much easier to the size of the pecks.—Baltichange more American. Examining Physician (for insurance company)—I'm atraid we can't take you, sir. You are too great a risk. Applicant (resignedly)—Well, perhaps

am. The fact is that when I get dek I never send for a doctor. I just ay around until I get well. Examinng Physician—Eh? Um—we'll tako you.-New York Weekly. Mrs. Hawkins-And 'ave you made all the arrangements for your mar-riage, my dear? Mrs. Jorkins—Well,

not quite all. I've got to buy me trooso, and take a onse, and get me 'usband a job, and buy 'im a good suit o' clothes, and get some reg'lar washin' work to do. An' then I'm to name the happy day.-Pick-Me-Up.

Where to Look for It.
"No," said Subbubs, "he's not living in Swamphurst now. He's been in Sorida all winter, and now he's in California for his health."

"I should think he'd go back to Swamphurst for It," remarked CHI. "Really?"

"Of course. That's where he lost it."
-Philadelphia Press. The average college professor moter

a specialty of trying to be howish when he meets his pupils socially. A woman seldom means the mean

things she says.



MRS. MINNIE MCALLISTER.

Mrs. Carrie King, Darlington, Mo. have suffered for years with suces, and kidney and liver

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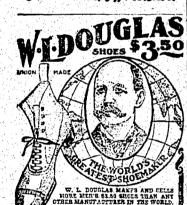
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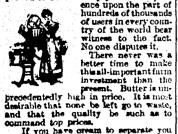
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social duties and I nover supposed that
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gested.
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I find Piso's Cure for Consumption the best medicine for croupy children.—Mrs. P. Callahan, 114 Hall street, Parkers-burg, W. Va., April 16, 1901.

Terriole Temptation.

brusqueness with grown-ups recalls that of the famous Abernethy, is quite another person when children are his patients. Then he is as amiable as an ingel of a big St. Bernard dog.

A short time ago, according to St. ames' Budget, this gentle giant got up out of a warm bed at 3 o'clock in the norning to attend a thry boy in piteous plight from diphtheria. He performed he operation of trachestomy and aved the child's life.

Time went on and his general condiion improved, but there was one dis-inleting symptom. He refused to use nis voice. When he was questioned be nooded or shook his head, but would not speak. Finally the surgeon found way. One morning he talked at his stubborn little patient.

"I'm sorry he can't speak to me, nurse;" the surgeon said, "because I'm going up to London to-morrow, and sha'n't know whether to bring him a horse or a gun."

There was a brief silence. The surgeon and nurse walted breathlessly. Then a tiny finger stole up to a wounded abroat, and the ghost of a baby hoy's voice said:

"Please, doctor, bwing me a lickie

Ever Notice 10? Some have no respect for truth, and frequently almise While others have all due respect-But very seldom use it.

COFFEE HEART

Very Plain in Some Pcople. A great many people go on suffering from annoying allments for a long time before they can get their own cousent to give up the indulgence from which their trouble arises.

A gentleman in Brooklyn describes experience, as follows:

"I became satisfied some months ago that I owed the pulpitution of the heart, from which I suffered almost daily, to the use of coffee (I had been a coffee drinker for 30 years), but 1 found it very hard to give up the bevernge.

"I realized that I must give up the harmful indulgence in coffee, but I felt the necessity for a hot table drink, and as tea is not to my liking, I was at a loss for a while what to do. "One day I ran across a very sen-

sible and straightforward presentation of the claims of Postum Food Coffee and was so impressed thereby that I concluded to give it a trial. perience with it was unsatisfactors till I learned how it ought to be prepared—by thorough boiling for not less than 15 or 20 minutes. After I learned that lesson there was no trouble, Postum Food Coffee proved to be a most palatable and satisfactory hot beverage, and I have used it ever since.

"The effect on my health has been most salutary. It has completely cured the heart painitation from which used to suffer so much, particularly after breakfast, and I never have a re turn of it except when I dine or lunch away from home and am compelled to drink the old kind of coffee because Postum is not served. I find that Postum Food Coffee cheers and invigorates, while it produces 20 harmful atimulation." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ten days' trial proves an eye opener

to many.

Read the little book "The Road to Wellvilla" in every pkg.



If in the sheep business for mutton, select the breeds which grow rapidly and mature early. The laying of soft-shelled eggs

sometimes result from overfeeding and sometimes from lack of shell material. One of the great secrets in poultry raising is to get good laying strains and keep them in good health and con-

Much of the disease to which fowls are afflicted may be traced for its origin to neglect in not providing good ventilation

ing intended for unmanured soil. If the seed potatoes are scauby, they should be treated with a mixture of one pint of formalln to thirty gullons of water. Sacks of the seed potatoes are suspended in this solution for an hour and a half, allowed to drain and spread on the barn floor to dry.

That bone has great value us a ration for poultry, both for egg produc-tion and for growth in chicks, is not a matter of dispute. The fact is general eggs be produced more readily, or made in young stock more quickly than by the liberal use of cut

There is one thing for the poultry beginner to remember. Start with a good standard bred fowl. Don't invest a cent in danghills. They are worthless. The thoroughbreds will cost a few cents more to start with There the difference in expense ceases. The occupy no more room, require no more care, will cat no more than the mon grels, and when you sell them for breeding or exhibiting or their eggs for hatching you'll find the balance

Some horses will ent at all times and consume any quantity of food without appearing to improve in condition, although they may not be do-ing much work. Horses differ, and what is best for one may not give as good results with others. Good grooming is an important matter, but there is not, as a rule, sufficient variety in the food of horses. While oats will continue to be a standard food for horses yet a small allowance of linmeal and corn fodder will also be relished and give excellent results. Hay and fodder will prove superior to hay alone.

Those who have flower seeds to sow would find the sowing of them under glass satisfactory, should they have the convenience for it. Many of these seeds are very fine, and when sown outdoors, heavy rains and many other things often interfere with their germination. When under glass it is near ly always one's own fault if a crop of seedlings is not raised. Small boxes of a depth of three inches, with hole in the bottom to let drain superflu ous water, are the best to use. Th soll should be fine, made so by sift ing, if necessary, so that when the seedlings need transplanting each plant can be lifted out without great disturbance of the others.

Items in Grafting.

Grafting is in order in March. Cleft grafting is in common use and

well known. Splice grafting is so simple as to need little explanation. The two parts are merely cut diagonally, laid gether, tied with string and waxel. It

is adapted only to small shoots of tender wood that will not stand split-Saddle grafting is also simple and stock is cut to a wedge shaped end

useful for small growing plants. The by two cuts, and the scion is split and set upon the wedge-and is then tled and waxed. This method is oftenest used with a terminal bud.

Fertilizing Orchards

If one is willing to fertilize the soil in his orchard he should be willing to apply such fertilizers at the proper time. While the usual spring fertilizing of trees with commercial fertiliz-ers has no objection, the same cannot be said of the use of stable manuro under some conditions, which is the fertilizer generally at the command of the farmer. It is generally under stood that severe pruning in the spring causes good wood growth of the tree and heavy fertilizing with stable manure in the beginning of the growing gonson has a like effort If the orchard is not growing rapid-

ly anough by all moone fartilles in the spring, so as to get the necessary wood growth, but if the trees are all right in this respect, but are not fruiting properly, it is evident they are making wood growth at the expense of fruit huds. Obviously the remedy is to fertilize after the growing season, for the wood growth is practically over. Fall manuring in any considerable countity is not advisable, for it excites a growth of wood which is not desirable at a time when the trees are preparing to rest.

Clover Hay to Fatten. The Missouri Agricultural College has shown that a limited amount of corn fed with clover hay can be made a very profitable ration for feeding cattle. The Missouri Agricultural College has during several winters produced two pounds of gain per day seventeen pounds of clover hay. An tive.
exactly similar lot of cattle fed six "The next enemy of importance was pound per day per head. When large amounts of clover hay are not available, we have found that mixing equal of clover hay and corn stover

sonably good gain when cattle are fed a heavy grain ration of eighteen to twenty pounds daily. The cost of the clover hay and six pounds of corn is measurably less than the heavy grain ration, and the gains resulting are nearly identical. The grain ration has this advantage—that it will find in the animals somewhat more quickly and out them in condition to fulfill market regulrements .- F. B. Mumford Missouri Agricultural College.

Scours in Horses In nine cases out of ten the cause of scours in horses is due to improper feeding, and while the trouble is bad one to deal with at any time, it is especially bad at a season when considerable hard work is expected of the horse. Some horses are given to scouring easily, and when such is the case, care must be used not to furnish much feed that is laxative in character, and also to feed more largely of concentrated foods than of roughage.

A horse that scours and is doing a ard day's work should have whole onts mixed with a small quantity of bran as the main grain food, and the morning food should be whole hay, all that he will cat in half an hour, then what water he wants within reason, and then the grain making the ration the quantity experience has shown is proper for the particular animal. The same feed should be given at noon and at night, but the quantity of water may be increased at night. In working a horse liable to attacks of scours, begin the day with him in an easy nanner, and for the first two or three hours do not push him. Handled in tals manner he will probably go through the rest of the day in good chape, and do a fair day's work. Such horses should be well groomed after day of work to keep up the circula tion of the skin, and the bedding should be clean and plentiful.

Killing and Plucking Fowls. It is well to make the bird fast for 12 hours or more before it is killed, in order that its crop and other organs may be quite empty. The best way to kill a bird is to sever the main ar tery in the roof of the mouth. this is done the bird quickly bleeds to death. As soon as cut it should be hung head down, to allow the blood to run out of the body. Immediately after the bird is dead, and before the animal heat has left the body, the feathers should be plucked out, pains being taken to remove all the pinfeathers and not to tear the skin.

The feathers come out more easily if the carcass is out in boiling water for a few minutes; but this method although very common, injures the believed, makes the flesh decompose more quickly. Dry picking is fore far preferable and should be in-

If a bird is to be kept before using, t should be put in a cool place to drive out all the animal heat, which, f left in, might hasten decomposition Some poultry men put the plucked birds into cold water, which serves the louble purpose of cooling them and of making them look plumper. There may be no objection to it if the water clear and they are left in only a few minutes, but if they are allowed to soak until they swell beyond their natural size, it is certainly fraudulent and probably injurious. A still more objectionable way of plumping birds is by blowing them out. This is bad enough when a beliows is used, but when he is often the case the dresper blows direct from his mouth, it is disgusting and dangerous.-Farm and Home.

Enemies of Fruit Trees.

but exact data have been wanting. Cornell Experiment Station, during the last season, conducted an orchard survey or a critical study of the ern counties of the State of New York. This survey examined every orchard in three townships, comprising some three thousand acres of fruit land, and in addition examined every orchard of mportance in the entire county-one of the largest in the State. The results of this survey (which are now being worked out) are exceedingly instructive and valuable

"Among the chief enemies of the orchard the greatest was found to be the apple tree. In other words, the trees were injuring each other in the struggle for food and sustenance. They were planted too closely. An examination of the yields of orchards planted at different distances, disclosed the fact that the more trees to the acre the smaller the yield in every case, and that the yield increased gradually and proportionately with the distance at which the trees were set.

"The next enemy of Importance was and The loss to the tract examined in 1002 by the influence of sod in orchards amounted to over 200,000 bush els. Pastured orchards were better than meadow orchards, but markedly tivated orchard gave an average of 30 bushels more than sod orchard, and this record covered a period of three on cattle by feeding six pounds of years; it was not taken at haphasard corn each and an average of about and should be considered fairly indica-

pounds of corn and fifteen pounds of found to be poor drainage. Young clover bay, made a gain of only one trees very often do not show the effects of surplus moisture in the soil, but invariably old trees developed various types of diseases, unquestionably directly chargeable to the unfavorhas resulted in a gain of one and able soil condition. Where stiff, im-three-quarter pounds of gain a day per penetrable subsoil obtains, drainage head. Two pounds per day is a rea- pays."

Very general interest has been mexi-fested in the government investigation now in progress into the mode of con-ducting business by the large packers located in Chicago and elsewhere. Much has been written upon the al-leged illegal and improper modes of business procedure connected with the leged lifegal and improper modes of business procedure connected with the packing industry; but it seems that so far no definite charge of any kind has been sustained and no proof of illegal or inequitable methods has been disclosed to the public. While a wave of sovere criticism of this great industrial interest is now passing over the countries. interest is now passing over the coun-try it might be well to remember that the packers have had as yet no oppor tunity to make specific denial, the many indefinite charges of wrong-do-ing having never been formulated so that a categorical answer could be made.

The recent report of Commissioner Garfield, which embodied the results of an official investigation undertaken by the Department of Commerce and Labor of the United States, was a vin dication of the Western packers, but this result having been unexpected at-tempts in many quarters to discredit it

In view of the situation as it now stands, however, attention may proper-iy be called to a few facts that owing to popular clamor are now being ap-parently overlooked. Fair treatment in this country has heretofore been ac corded to all citizens whose affairs as corded to all citizens whose affairs as-sume prominence in the public eye and some of the facts that bear upon the relation of the packers to the com-merce of the country may at this time be briefly alluded to. It would be difficult to estimate the benefits gained by the farmers of the country result-ing from the energetic enterprise of the packers, for whatever is of benefit to the farmer is a gain to the entire to the farmer is a gain to the entire commerce of the country. And con-nected with their continuous aggres-sive work no feature perhaps has been more important than their efforts in seeking outlets all over the world for the surplus products of the farmer.
Our total exports of agricultural products have gained but little in the past twenty years, and leaving out corn, the total of all other farm products was far less in 1903 than in 1891. But in packing house products there was con-siderable gain during this period, be-cause an organized and powerful force has been behind them seeking nev and broader markets.

Resides the benefits reaped by farmers on account of the enterprise and energy exercised by the packers in attaining commercial results by foreign trade, the great development in the manufacture of pucking house by-prod-ucts has added enormously to the value of all live stock raised in the United States. The waste material of third states. The waste material of twenty years ago, then an expense to the packer, is now converted into ar-ticles of great value and, as an eco-nomic fact, this must correspondingly increase the value to the farmer of every head of cattle marketed at the numerous stock yards of the country. Let these facts be remembered while now it is so popular to regard the great packing industry as deserving of condemnation. At least it must be admitted that, so far, there is no adequate reason for the almost unantennous how that may be heard everywhere in the face of the Garfield report above alluded to which practically exonerates the packers from the obscure and indefinite charges that have been for some time past made the sub-ject of popular comment.

Now They Don't Speak. Phyllis—What do you think, Sibyl!
That idiotic young Sissington actually
had the herve to propose to me last

night. Sibyl-You don't say! Well, I always thought he was a little ratty in his gar ret, but I had no idea he was as bad as

His Bad Break. She-I had an uncle who was killed

electricity. He-How, awfully shocking! Troller ar or electric chair?

HAPPY WOMEN

Pare, a promsuffering from a com-plication of kidney trou-bles. Besides a bad back, I had a great deal of trou-ble with the

For a long time horticulturists and fruit growers of the advanced type have been urging the desirability of tilling orchards more thoroughly than is usually the custom, says a Cornell color was high, and passages were accompanied with to scalding sensation. boat a Kidney Pitts soon regulated the kidney secretions, making their color normal and banished the inflammation which caused the scalding sensation. I can rest well, my back is strong and sound and I feel much better in every

way."

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One of Many.

Mifkins—Has Skinner any capital?

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Martha

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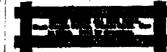


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While I Am Alive By Margaret J. Preston

much would I care for it could I know That, when I am under the grass of

anow. The raveled garment of life's brief

day d and quietly laid away, The spirit let loose from mortal bars. And somewhere away among the

stars-How much do you think it would mat

ter then What praise was lavished upon me when. Weatever might be its stint or store, It neither could help nor harm me

If while I was tolling they had but thought To stretch a finger, I would have

caught Gladly such ald to buoy me through Some bitter day I had to do: Though when it was done they said

maybe To others-they never said to me

Had been the supremest boon on if granted to me then: "We are proud

That one of ourselves has triumphed

What use for the rope if it be not flung

Till the swimmer's grasp to the rock has clung? What help in a comrade's bugie blast When the peril of Alpine heights is

What need of the spurring paenn roll When the runner is safe beyond the goal?

What worth in eulogy's blandest When whispered in cars that are

hushed in death? No! no! if you have but a word of

Speak it while I am alive to hear!

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There were mountains alread of us. huge and brown under the noonday sun; mountains powdered here and there with snow reviving in our memories dreams of caocolate blanc mange well sugared, such as had pleased our pampered appotites even in those days of desserts and similar flesh-pots, and which now made our mouths water in soulful recoilection. And those mountains hal to be sur mounted or circumvented; willy the ground we had painfully traversed in these last few weeks held known dangers, while before us lay at least uncertainty; traveling might be worse, but there was the steps through that ingenious imita-(if it was not the real article) of Hades, the desert.

That Mike, the mule, agreed with us, we had not a moment's doubt. me your name and I will tell the boss He was a Missouri product, and you can't say much better of a mule than that. You would have guessed it. anyway, by the cynical, "show-me" expression of his eye, and his affec-tion for a roll in a mud role.

to be more Jaccurate, since he had owned us-to have a deep respect for him, for he was a mule of parts—teeth and heels—and when we displeased him, which happened dally; stars. But that did not subtract from our dependence on his knowledge of the whereabours of a waterhole, and when he decided to camp for the night we tearned after several attempts to change his mind, that his hideous noise, decision of character was to be re-Waen Bloadine, Carr's buckskin pony, departed this life some less laughter, almost rolling off at vague, mirage-tortuted weeks back, each renewal of the cashinations of

tion: he would lotter over green ever keeping a wary eye on the mule, spears of gramma grass that had who relaxed his attitude at the refound life in a few drops of moisture, treat of his erstwhile presumptuous flitered from those cool, glistening enemy. The bear must have had an snows, for by now we were well in instinctive understanding of the ways the foothills. Or he would make friendly advances to Carr or me, ad- to Mike that part of his anatomy vances which we met with caution, best suited, to Mike's idea, for as for in addition to his other traits, sault, but beat a crab-like and delib Mike was a practical joker, his humorous moods sometimes resulting in head lowered and teeth still displaymi fortune to the object of his attentions. I have occasionally thought ing just within stretch of the bear's we may have misjudged Mike: perhaps he was one of those unfortunates with affections which, like desert pears, grow prickly side out, but are sweet and wholesome within-though I siways do say eating those eactus pears isn't worth the trouble of rub-Anyway, with Mike, the rubbing off process held too many fears for us, so he went through life a mule misun-

mind at ease with satisfaction, for always the rank and file reflect the mood of the officer commanding, and we permitted ourselves the luxury of an occasional rest on the shady side of a boulder. You can't be preoccu-pled on a desert; every stay you take, every halt you make must be the result of calculation and experience, and though this caution becomes habitual after a time, still it helps to account for the peculiarly jaded expression of men just in from an expedition as we were now on. Hvery rock may shelter some nous lisard or snake; a Gila mounter may be taking an airing in and followed suit.-B. M. Waddell, in the neighborhood, or, of less danger but considerable discomfort, each marticle of vegetation is at apparent wer with the world and stands arms at every point; you live in an atmo ere of every man for himself. which has something of the effec on the nerves of a fiver in Wall where everyone's motto

Carr and I noted these signs of a

So it was a relief to be out of the worst of it. for now our pregress carried us from the desert lands behind into the beginnings of a normal vege-tation. A stream—small, but prom-Ising better things nearer its source -trickled along, its way enlivened by bushes and low trees. Deeper we went into the heart of the hills, those towering mountains seeming to go up dipped behind them, Mike concluded was time to camp, though two hours of the day still lay ahead of us. Knowing the uselessness of disputing the point, we unpacked our stuff and prepared for the night, making camp by the stream among the cotton woods. Chaparral lined the gulch

kept the course of the stream to make traveling easier. Carr was preparing supper. I had attended to the needs of Mike, whom we allowed to wander at will as we had found that if any losing was done it would be his losing us, not we him. He was deliberating over his meal as he always did: we called it saving The word of applause so craved, grace, for he put on an air of sanctified displeasure which reminded Carr of a plous old chap he had once known who always made disparaging remarks about the food, after th ing the Lord for it in an extended

which we had been following, for we

We were comfortably settled to our supper, restfully watching the golden light climb the hill, drawing after it amethyst shadows from gulch and canon, thankful that the fates had of the desert devils, and though this lacked much of being the promised land, still by comparison with that strip of outside country which lay bare and glaring to every throbbing ray of sun, it was a paradise to our jaded minds and bodies.

Gradually into our consciousness broke the fact that there was an oc casional noise in the brush behind us, a sound increasing in volume and persistency till even Mike stonned munching and looked expectantly in the direction whence it came. Not suspecting anything more formidable than a stray covole, we did not disturb ourselves till into the open tumbied the huge bulk of a bear, which projected itself toward us speed that sent us to our feet an toward a rock near by in too much of a hurry to pick up our guns, our one idea being to get out of the way of this unexpected guest. As we scrambled up the friendly rock which som thoughtful glacier had deposited there in ages past, the bear rolled at a sort of lone to where we had left with the idea of helping himself; but he had not reckoned on Mike-Mike the only really plucky one of the trio

institution of learning where Mike had received his education bears evidently were not included in the curriculum, for he was plainly of nonplussed and disgruntled mind. He stood and watched the visitor chance of its being better, and snuffing about till it seemed to occur neither of us felt like retracing our to him that it was up to him to add to his various other duties that of rather tentative air, as one would say to an unexpected visitor, "Please give you are here." At his approach the bear, without retreating a step, slowly sat back on his haunches, and rearing his great bulk onto his hindlegs, waved a facetious forepaw in the face of the now paralyzed mule. We had grown in these fast three Mike's whole frame stiffened; his months since we had owned him or, I tail stood straight out, his legs grew rigid, and his chin gradually project ed itself in apparent voiceless amaze ment, till, of a sudden, his lips part ed law dropped and the most soul we saw both, and sometimes a lew echces of the hills. The very easence of the creature seemed to be poured torth in torrents of sound, ever with a louder and more joyous lift to the

final "haw," while the bear stood, in

We clung to our precarious posiupon his back, and with his ing amazement of the bear, who seemcross the indefinite, skybound to meet this change of front in his opponent. Slowly he dropped to all Today he were an air of relaxa- fours and began to shuffle backward, of a mule, for he refused to presen crate retreat toward the brush. nose. Finally, when the shelter of the brush was within two lengths of him, the bear turned in his tracks for a final rush to safety. At the same instant Mike showed one more instance of his many-sided genius Whirling like a flash, his heels me the bear's flank with an impact tha drew a howl from Bruin, who was pitched head first into the chaparral and the last we saw of him he was frantically crashing his way through brush and brier, making all speed to his lair in the hills.

Mike turned and regarded for a few moments the waving bushes marked the hear's refreat, and If he did. Shaking himself as if to be sure he was still intact, he strolled back to the fire and stood over the remains of his interrupted meal, evi dently ruminating over his encoun ter. His old reserve gradually folded about him like a mantle, the youth ful, joyous glimmer died from his aye, and he fell to eating once more, while Carr and I, assured that peac again reigned, slid from our perch Porest and Stream.

JAPANESE HOSPITAL SHIPS.

Theroughly Medern Provision for

Not only in her weapons and meth ode of warfare, but also in her arrate for the care

wounded, Japan has shown a wonder fully progressive spirit during the pending war. A fresh illustration of the fact is furnished by a correspond who writes from Kobe to The Medical Record, of New York. description of one of the Japanese hospital ships, which transfer the wounded from hospitals at Port Arbe best appreciated by surgeons and trained nurses, but cannot fail to interest many other neonle as well:

The Kobe Maru is a fair type of this class of vessel. On approaching the vessel it is seen that she is paint ed white, with a broad band of green about two feet wide which extends sel about midway between the rail and the waterline. A large Geneva cross (red) is painted on each side of the smokestack. With these characteristic distinguishing marks the vessel should be assured of not being mistaken for a combatant vessel or merchantman.

Arriving on board, it is found that the vessel is a fairly modern steamer of about 3,000 tons, which by a few changes has been converted into a hospital ship. The vessel was for merly in the passenger service of the Nippur Yusen Kaisha Company. The sick are all quartered upon the deck. The privates are placed in suitable sized compartments in bunks, which are three tiers high. The total capacity is 180. For the sick officers the ordinary staterooms are used. bunks are constructed of iron and furnished with good springs and mattresses.

The amount of air space a head appears to be inadequate, but this compensated for in a way by the ordiship ventilators. No forced

draught or other mechanical means of changing the air is used. Of course, it is proper to take into consideration that the distances to be run are not very great, at most not over three days, and no doubt during the majority of the voyages the weather conditions would be such that the portholes could be kept open, and thus a supply of fresh air assured.

A neat operating room, furnished with modern furniture, is located on the same deck. The number and kind of surgical instruments are sufficient perform almost any operation. The sterilizers are connected with the ship's steam supply, thus obviating apparatus. The room receives excel lent light from an overhead skylight, A dark room is especially fitted up for X-ray work, for which there is a good machine on board. An isolation hospital for contagious cases is fitted up on the deck halow that used for regular hospital purposes.

No female attendants of any kind are employed on board. The Japanese medical men do not scem to be very favorably impressed with female nurses for army or navy purposes. Six medical officers are assigned to each vessel of like capacity. All friction is avoided by the seniar riedical officer being in absolute charge of the vessel in all matters except the thal sailing of the vessel. The mediwatchdog. So he advanced with a cal officer simply orders the master of the ship to proceed to such ports as he may desire, which orders must be carried into effect at the earliest practicable moment.

The sanitary arrangements are very good, all sinks, closets, etc., beof modern design, and they erally bear the name of some foreign maker. Everything is kept scrupu ously clean and from all appearances it would seem that the vessels are

THREAD FROM WOOD FIBRE.

invention Being Exploited in Various European Countries. United States Consul Atwell writes from Roubaix, France:

"Justin Muller read a paper recently before the Industrial Society of his turn, petrified by this tumult of Mulhouse on certain printed go the warp of which is composed of cotton and the woof of a thread made tion on the rock, convulsed with help- from wood pulp. These goods were introduced almost four years ago. At Mike had literally taken the work of mockery from Mike and the increas-two more his back and with his because the mockery from Mike and the increas-two more his back and with his because of the beautiful and the second were cut into finest shreds and twistusual cheerful cynicism, led as safely ed to be striving to collect his wits the indefinite follows. cess has been abandoned, and wood pulp is passed directly over grooved metal sheets, forming very thin ribbons, which pass in turn over machine that twists them into a very

regular thread of any desired length.
"These threads of wood fibre are known as xyloline silvaline and licella, and are numbered like any others. The dynamo-metric resis-tance of this thread in a dry state, taking 100 as the resistance of jute threads, is equal to about 55; that of cotton thread in a dry state is 135. The difference is widely in favor of jute and cotton, but it is thought that improvements may increase the resistance of the wood puln thrend Az great resistance is not of essential

importance. "Dishcloths are made of this thread, in connection with hemp, and the mixture is washed dyed and While wet the wood pulp thread softens, but recovers its resistance in drying. There are already manufactories for the production of and Netherlands, and France shortly have a factory. It is thought that this thread may be used advantageously in the manufacture of pas sementerie, and that it may replace jute and cotton in the composition of many articles.

Lethargic Sleep.

Lethargic sleep, over periods more or less proloaged, is becoming rather common in France. Several remarkable cases have been reported during recent years, and now another has profound sleep, from which, up to the present, it has been found impossible to rouse her. Nor does she show the slightest symptom of a return to normal conditions. The doctors, how ever, declare that there is not the least cause for anxiety.-London



Why Women Fall in Business. The ambitious girl can overcome ev ery obstacle if she will only keep a stout heart, writes Mrs. Ella liawis for a kind remark. Reader. I have had my ups and downs and have learned that a good rule to follow is: If an undertaking falls take your medicine like a man and get something of value out of the experi-

Individuality is one of the most im portant things for the up-to-date girl to develop. It counts a lot in a crowd. The idea of one sphere for man and another for woman was always re pulsive to me. A girl who is anxious to get above the dead level of ordinary work can command the attention of influential persons if she puts the trade mark of her personality on all her When a girl's employer appreciates

the fact that she can do a certain kind of work better than anybody else be cause she puts her heart in it, expan sion has begun. The point is to get somebody's eye by faithful effort. The rest follows in a natural order. The energy of President Roosevelt appeals to me. It fits these times. It can be acquired by men and women alike. The young girl who decides to enter unon a business career must not think that it is necessary to become mascu line in her manner.

I have been associated with hun dreds of men in various business schemes. Many of the men knew a great deal more than I did. I never permitted them to think that I wanted to be regarded as "one of the boys." I think that a day is close at hand when wonien will have to be reckoned with in almost every kind of endeavor The majority of girls are too prone consider themselves inferior to men in ousiness pursuits. They are satisfied to be slaves to a daily grind which has

Best Sort of Man The average girl does not look fo an ideal man in these days, and for this reason: She knows that he does not exist; moreover, she is aware that even did he exist, and she had the chance of capturing him, he would not be practical; he would be a cut above this very prosale age. She pays no heed either to the good looks, except she be very young and inexpert enced, for she knows that the mos perfect face will not compensate for poor table, and she is cute enough to understand that the good-looking man is a poor hand at keeping the

What your girl of to-day wants to man who can keep her in comfort. in the first place; comfort in married life, she believes, is really the mos important of all factors in making marriage a success. Naturally, then girl looks out for a capable man; of business or profession: brainy type of man; one who shows of being able to better himself in the world .- Brown Book.



The picture shows an afternoon to lette of white woollen voile, the cor sage trimmed with Irish lace and braid

The Girl Who Pleases The girl with laughter in her eyes, a plasant smile for everybody, of kind words and gentle deeds, will be much more charming though far less beautiful than the girl of pretty face, who is "stuck up," supercilious, disagree able and has an exalted her own importance. While there is charm in the pretty face, there must he back of it womanhood in its per is indeed a great one. There are women who always do things right, and there are others who always do then wrong. How often do we public? A woman imagines, often without reason, that somebody is encroaching upon her rights. She cuts come with a volley of angry words. making herself instantly disagreeable whereas if she had spoken softly she have accomplished far mor and there would have been no sting in her words.-Chicago Dally News.

To Stop Goods not so much the result mailcloug thought as it is of no dangerous weapon we possess in our from letting them thoughtlessly wag. occurred in Paris itself. The patient For instance, there are two words, is a young woman living in the Rue simple enough in themselves, that inde Believille. A week ago, from treduce untold trouble into the world causes not explained, she fell into a and are responsible for more harm than any other two words in the Eng lish language. These two little word are nothing more than "They bay, They have done mere to ruin reputs tions then any other thing.

The next time you beer some use those words stop and sek who "they" are. You will have trouble dis-oppresses many women. Not only are severing their whereabouts, for "they" they conscious of the isolation of the

are always in hiding except when farm or the kitchen, but they suffer there is something malicious to be said. "They" are seldom responsible

Before you repeat a story be fectly sure of the truth of it. When you quote a story, be sure of your au thority, and be willing to stand by

nothing more.-Detroit Free Press.



Hats are queer.

Everything is flowered. Frocks are overtrimmed. Green is exceptionally good.

Tulips blossom on some hats. You can't have too many organdles Both narrow and wide belts are

The black patent leather sallor is nobby.

You cannot have too much lace about you.

Some parasols look as if the su would melt them. Buy a stamped hat pattern and em rolder your own hat

Net insertions make a silk blous look wonderfully smart. There are separate black and white

heck skirts for runabout. Very taking is the new envelop handling in scarlet or green.

There's a lovely embroidered whit ongee coat for less than \$20. Lots of the French gowns might

properly be called studies in bows. A cascade of lace tumbles off the back of some of the most irresistible hats.

A shaded silk girdle is about prettiest thing in a woman's wardrobe Old-fashioned chintz patterns and

colors are duplicated in some of the prettiest silks. Some of the most picturesque

have large painted miniatures, set in old, used as buckles.

Oncof the lovellest afternoon dresse of collenne in a shade between reseds and apple green.

Those quaint old crocheted purse with rings in the middle dividing the opper from the sliver are "in" again. A nice parasol to flaunt abroad on July days is of white silk with a deep border of great splashing crimson popples.

It would never do for the masculine hat to affect the dissipated angles adopted by feminine headwear this suring.

The taffeta checked in blue anwhite and red and white are exceed ingly modish. Green and white has senreely as yet appeared.

Health and Beauty Hints Curl a short bit of hair over each ar to make those tiny fascinators now the tad.

Don't dry the hands enrelessly after washing; use a soft damask towel or a sik handkerchief and dry thor oughly.

To remove walnut and fruit stains from the tingers, dip them in strong ton ambiling the nails with it with pall brush; wash in warm water; the stains come out instantly. Stains of varnish on the hands are

sometimes very difficult to remove, As soon as possible, rub with a little alohol on a soft rag; afterward wasi thoroughly in soap and water.

Wear heelless shoes, a flat, large hat short bolero, if you fancy yourself too tall; or wear high French eels, a tall turban and a long, tightfitting coat if you think you are too

Comb your front hair over your fore head and tie it down with a narrow ribbon before pompadouring it make it stay in place. Afterward the ribbon is slipped out, leaving the soft



Mme. Sarah Bernhardt sleeps bu ive hours out of the twenty-four. Baronesa Berchtholdzu Sonnenburg-te

A Miss Ryan is a Canadian govern ment official in the arctic regions, be ing an inspector of gold dust.

Marchioness Oyama, now 42, was educated at Vassar, and is one of the most versatile women in the Mikado's empire. Mrs. Jane Germon, a veteran

son, has just celebrated her eighty fourth birthday at Baltimore. Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker, only rviving child of Dr. Lyman Beach and sister of Henry Ward Beecher and Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, is M

dispase and a cousin of Joseph Jeffer

"Warld-Lonalines Work with the hands which leave the mind free is partly accountable for the overwhelming loneliness that

years old.

from that vague "world-loneliness" which is not the less torturing because it is so inexpressible and so insuper able.

Maeterlinck describes one aspect of it—the isolation of mankind among the other animals of the earth. "We your story when once you have told it are alone," he says, "absolutely alone
If every one did this, there would on this chance planet, and amid all be much less gossip in the world, and the forms of life that surround us, not we feel sure that "they" would "say" one excepting the dog has made an one excepting the dog has made an alliance with us. A few creatures fear us, most are unaware of us, and not one loves us."

It is not only that we are unable to establish communication with the bird or the deer, and that we find the wind and the flower and the wave and the mountain dumb to our speech, but that our friends do not respond to our mute entreaty for companionship.

The woman who comes nearest to finding society even in the midst of world-solitude is doubtless the mother whose children's arms are round her neck and their voices sounding in her ears. But even for her, and for all other women who struggle under the burden of their own isolation in world crowded with other isolated lives, the only motto is Sir Philip Sid ney's inspiring word, "They are never slone that are accompanied with noble thoughts."-Youth's Companion.

se Model for Dressy Blouse



There is no let-up whatsoever in the popularity of those dainty and convenient separate blouses, and every week that passes affords new designs in this line. The built-out shoulder characterizes the new models, and the sleeve is frequently made to run up to the collar and entirely conceal the radium messaline is so fashioned, the fronts turn beck slightly to show a lace chemisette. The roll collar is bound with a pinkish purple velvet, little lace cravats appears on the revers, and the sleeve is a succession of lessening puffs from shoulder to wrist. The fullness is gently dropped into the deep ceinture of the purplish velvet, and the colorings, both in slik and velvet, follow the sweet-pea tints.



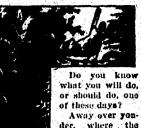
When the dressmaker comes to the are ready for eating. iouse make all possible preparations. for her before she arrives. Let her hid the gowns ripped apart, the cloth monged and pressed silk cleaned laces for trimming freshened, and all new materials bought and in the house Provide linings, sewing silk, thread, twist, whatebone, hooks and eyes, butons and braid, so that no time need be wasted in sending for articles which in their absence cause everything to come to a standstill.

You can do the ripping at odd moments and thus accomplish a great deal. You should have a roomy receptacle for all scraps. Either a trunk er a large drawer may be set aside for pleces, or there should be several piece oags, one for linings, another for wash goods another for woolens, another for silks and velvets. The remnants of each kind and color should be made nto neat rolls, pinned or tied. Smaller bags may hold buttons, hooks and etc., and thus save infinite time and trouble. The habit of keeping buttons from year to year is to be recommended, as a set that has been worn one seeson on a street costume serve a year later on a house gown or

Most women like to spend as much time as possible with the seamstress, so as to give her help and to diminish her bill. And it is unquestionably true that, even the most conscientious dressmaker, apart from tue assistance she receives, accomplishes more when she as some one sewing with her than when she is left alone.

"A London society woman," seconding to report, "has a small white be-ribboned pig sitting beside her when she rides out in her sutomobile. An-other woman automobiliet is rarely een on her car without her pet per guin, Arietides, which she frequently akee with her into shops, the intelligent creature carrying her hand his bill. Another delights in horned teads as tonneau pets."

It pays to advertise in this passes.



Do you know

Away over you der. where the hills meet the sky in a purple haze, the trees are greening and doburst every bud; the pussy willows are preparing for the coming of the enthird, and the

croaking of the frogs and the smell of new earth is a call of the wild as loud as trumpet blast. like a hound and at the end you will find a creek that has its source in swamp and trickles its merry and tortuous way to the river.

Don't you wish you could turn time oack for thirty or more years; back to the days of patches and bare legs. laughter, freckles and stone bruises; back where there was only one care in he world, and that was to be on hand at ments?

You cannot. You didn't appreclate your own boyhood. You are a slave to usiness. You are chained to a desk You have to make profits. You eat ind talk and sleep business. You falk It at home until the folks are annoyed. The other day one of your children asked: "Was papa ever a little boy?"

Let's steal a day. Even a slave should be allowed to drop his chains once in a while. Certainly an overworked business man, carrying a load that rounds his shoulders and grays his halr, can fice from trouble for a little while and try to think that he is 12 and that there is only sunshine in the

To-morrow morning, early, come over and throw a stone up against the window. We will pack | 1922 up some lunch and steal away for one whole, olden day. Never mind Come at 4 a. m., and we'll leave a note saying that we have been and that we have been sud-

denly called away and

that the folks are "not

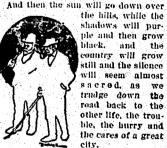
Get the spade. There is a builty corer for bait in the back yard. We will dig a canful of the wriggling worms hide the spade and the cylience of our crime, and then away into the country. We'll cut alder poles and, with trembling fingers that have all but lost their skill in the lapse of years, arrange our tackle, find a deep, dark pool, burn tobacco in our corneob pipes, and

fish. You'll wonder what they are doing at the office and what there was in the morning paper. Cut that out. There isn't any office. We are boys to-day. You have a cathsh and I'm trembling because my bobber has gone under water and something is pulling like a whale. It's a bullhead. We will dress it and some more like it, rub them with salt, cook them on a stick and eat them, liones and all. Yes, sir, bones and all. You don't mean to say that you never did? Well, you have missed a lot. We will fish a bit, and after that

you may shout if you like. A country boy yells just for pure joy of living. It will do us good. How good the sun feels! There is a squir rel on the fence, and a boy is driving cows down the road, whistling as mer rily as a bobolink. Poor devil! He doesn't know that Steel common paying no dividend and that cotton is a loss. He doesn't care, but he can spell h-a-p-p-l-n-e-s-s. God bless him!

The snoke from our fire smells good. If we had a spade we would dig out a woodchuck. There is sassafras in the woods and the young wintergreens

Over at the farmhouse we will get rich mlik, doughnuts, saftrising bread and russet apples



Never mlud. It is a part of the great plan, and the man who has kent his heart so free that he can still love the soil, the trees, the sunshine and the joys that nature has bestowed, is worth while.

So, don't forget-1 a. m. Throw a stone against the window, and we'll

steal a day.-Cincinnati Post.

Poet's Praise

It is not always the critic who pulverizes the poet. At a literary dinner the other day, the New York Tribun says, two minor poets were heard in conversation.

"I saw your villanelle in the Blank Magazine," said one. "Did won?" said the other "Yes, and I heard rather a neat com-

pliment passed on it by a young lady," "What did she my?" The first minor poet laughed, ... "Why," he replied, "she wanted to know if I had written it."

"In Germany borse meat is a regular article of diet." "What a lot of satisfaction that must be to a man who has just dropped a roll on a sure thing at a horse race!"

--- Illimote State Journal.

Some men refuse to be told anything became they have lived in t town 40 years.